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SELECTMEN'S REPORT

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SCHOOLS.

District No. 1, Wm. M. Maltbie, Treas.		
Teachers,	$612.00	
Fuel,	22.50	
Incidentals,	9.50	$644.00
District No. 2, P. M. Reed, Treas.		
Teachers,	324.00	
Fuel,	17.50	
Incidentals,	1.65	348.00
District No. 3, A. Teeter, Treas.		
Teachers,	231.00	
Fuel,	15.00	
Incidentals,	1.65	247.65
District No. 4, A. B. Wells, Treas.		
Teachers,	612.00	
Fuel,	22.75	
Incidentals,	9.25	644.00
District No. 5, E. B. Case, Treas.		
Teachers,	252.00	
Fuel,	16.50	
Incidentals,	1.50	270.00
District No. 6, John Doherty, Treas.		
Teachers,	324.00	
Fuel,	15.55	
Incidentals,	.45	340.00
District No. 8, N. E. Kendall, Treas.		
Teachers,	324.00	
Fuel,	15.00	339.00
District No. 9, C. B. Case, Treas.		
Teachers,	324.00	
Fuel,	12.00	
Incidentals,	4.00	340.00

District No. 10, Geo. B. Clark, Treas.		
Teachers,	$324.00	
Fuel,	17.00	
Incidentals,	10.00	351.00
District No. 11, E. M. Griffin, Treas.		
Teachers,	324.00	
Fuel,	14.18	
Incidentals,	.82	339.00
Total,		$3,862.65
Simsbury High School Tuition,		$431.57
Transportation,		172.50
J. B. McLean, Supt. of Schools,		
Salary,	$300.00	
Postage, Stationery and Expenses,	10.86	$310.86
Text Books.		
Amer. Book Co.,		$17.09
Ginn & Co.,		55.68
Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co.,		3.10
Thomson, Brown Co.,		7.20
J. L. Hemmett & Co.,		
25 Certificates,		5.75
C. M. Gaines,		
Printing Report Cards,		2.00
Total,		$4,868.40

HIGHWAYS.

F. E. Rice,	$13.00
Geo. Benson,	.70
H. Parmlee,	2.00
C. W. Crouse,	6.00
John Jewett,	3.20
A. G. Smith,	5.25
E. P. Rice,	12.00
T. J. Allen,	6.00
Leon Goddard,	1.75
Louis Thibedore,	5.25
M. D. Wilcox,	1.75
C. A. Burleigh,	3.50
M. G. Hayes,	8.00
Gilbert Smith,	2.00
F. M. Colton, Carting Loam. $ .07	5.75
E. J. Rosier,	15.75
L. L. Korn,	13.65
Edward Gaines,	1.75
Peter Rogers, 1905 and 1908,	30.62
J. Liberty,	11.38

F. M. Colton,	$6.75
Frank Lawerance,	7.00
John Doherty,	7.50
L. L. Korn,	3.00
John Rowe,	161.52
Wallace Humphrey,	182.00
Leman Fuller,	115.52
Ralph Deming,	84.01
Murry Barnes,	35.00
Jesse White,	21.00
A. Clark,	63.13
A. Walters,	24.25
J. W. Ruick,	226.30
C. D. Griffin,	18.00
F. J. Howard Road Team,	877.13
Total,	$1,981.46

BRIDGES AND SLUICES.

John Barns,	$47.86	
Wallace Humphrey,	9.00	
John Rowe,	8.75	
A. Clark,	81.90	
E. Buttles,	2.00	
F. E. Rice,	7.00	
Chas. Rowe,	1.75	
Trace Crouse,	1.00	
C. W. Crouse,	4.00	
John Jewett,	2.80	
A. H. Wilcox,	1.75	
M. G. Hayes,	8.50	
James Johnson,	.70	
E. J. Rosier,	7.00	
L. L. Korn,	13.80	
A. H. Gillette, 1906-1907,	72.50	
C. B. Fox,	5.70	
Gilbert Smith,	1.00	
Geo. B. Clark,	5.25	
J. Liberty,	3.63	
L. C. Spring,	5.00	
A. E. Howard,	6.00	
J. W. Ruick,	46.30	
L. L. Korn,	1.25	
C. D. Griffin,	15.00	
Total,		$359.44

RAILINGS.

Wallace Humphrey,	$6.00	
John Rowe,	5.75	
A. Walters,	1.75	
L. L. Korn,	5.50	
Edward Shannon,	10.00	
F. E. Rice, posts,	4.00	
Wm. Fox,	9.50	
Total,		$42.50

WATER TUBS.

Geo. Peck,	$3.00	
Geo. O. Beach,	3.00	
A. Jasmine,	3.00	
Est. of Levi Rice,	3.00	
Est. of S. Lampson,	3.00	
W. B. Holcomb,	3.00	
F. B. Case,	3.00	
Salmon Brook Water Co., 1907,	5.00	
Salmon Brook Water Co., Jan. 1st, to July 1st, 1908,	3.00	
Total,		$29.00

SNOW.

L. S. Clark,	$1.50	
Floyd Reed,	3.00	
C. L. Humphrey,	1.50	
M. A. Griffin,	1.50	
Peter Rogers, 1905,	5.00	
Total,		$12.50

BUSHES.

John Rowe,	$8.75	
Anson Holcomb,	8.75	
E. J. Rosier,	.87	
Total,		$18.37

ABUTMENTS.

J. W. Ruick,	$5.00	
Wallace Humphrey,	4.00	
Leman Fuller,	3.50	
John Rowe,	3.50	
Ralph Deming,	3.50	
Total,		$19.50

PLANK AND TIMBER.

F. E. Rice,	$5.00	
M. L. Loveland,	17.18	
M. Webber,	50.96	
C. L. Humphrey,	4.50	
R. L. Forsyth,	28.18	
O. Simesom,	10.00	
Ely Bros.	22.68	
F. B. Lockwood,	123.57	
Total,		$262.07

TOWN POOR.

Mrs. Ellen Messenger, care of Helen Ashmore,	$25.00	
Hartford Hospital, care of James Price,	114.86	
W. R. Munson, care of Mrs. Emerson,	5.50	
R. B. Chatfield, care of E. Pettibone,	5.50	
R. B. Chatfield, care of Helen Ashmore,	11.25	
Tariffville Lace Mfg. Co., Rent for Mrs. Emerson, 70 weeks,	70.00	
Mrs. Geo. Day, care of Myron Kent,	25.00	
C. L. Humphrey, keeping tramps,	9.75	
Edward Shannon, keeping tramps,	3.00	
J. R. Hayes & Son, burial of James Price,	25.00	
J. W. Ruick, digging grave of James Price,	3.00	
M. Samford, care of F. Phelps,	132.16	
Wood for Mrs. Emerson,	7.75	
Loomis Bros. Co., supplies E. Pettibone,	23.40	
Total,		$461.17

ABATEMENTS, LIST 1906.

Frank Barnes, gone,	$2.00
Curtis Clark, dead,	1.00
Ebin Clark, gone,	.51
Clinton Clark,	2.00
Harry Coley, exempt,	2.00
Mrs. Nelson Dewey, error,	4.85
Mrs. James Drake, error,	.68
E. B. Fox, error,	1.00
Walter Griffin, error,	1.70
Chas. F. Griffin, error,	2.00
Seymour Griffin,	2.00
Ralph Humphrey,	2.00
E. Jasasmine, gone,	2.00
Lowie Johnson, minor,	2.00
Munroe Jackson, exempt,	2.00

Dennis Kelley, minor,	$2.00	
E. S. Morgan, error,	2.00	
Henry Parker, gone,	2.00	
Geo. Pease Est., error,	5.53	
Christian Peterson, dead,	2.00	
Wm. Ramson, dead,	1.39	
John Rowe, gone,	1.43	
Chas. Rowe, gone,	2.00	
W. E. Sanderson, exempt,	9.25	
Minor Fuller, gone,	2.00	
Carl Weed, minor,	2.00	
S. A. Brown, error,	3.40	
Geo. Bull and wife, error,	3.80	
A. Carlson, error,	13.60	
Mrs. E. R. Clark, error,	11.90	
Emily C. Griffin, error,	2.13	
A. & H. Mitchelson Est., error,	11.05	
J. & H. Woodford,	1.70	
E. H. Shattuck, exempt,	2.00	
Albert Stevens, exempt,	2.00	
F. M. Parmlee, exempt,	2.00	
James Fancher, exempt,	1.00	
Florence Case, exempt,	1.00	
Peter Rogers, error,	1.96	
Mahlon R. Case, error,	21.32	$140.20
Int. on same,		16.44
		$156.64

LIST 1905.

F. H. Barnes, gone,	2.00	
A. & H. Mitchelson Est.,	11.05	
M. F. Spring, gone,	2.26	$15.31
Int. on same,		3.22
		$18.53

INCIDENTALS.

M. C. Hayes, services on Board of Relief,		$6.00
L. H. Wilcox, services tax collector,		60.00
James Peck, services assessing 1906,		14.00
N. Holcomb, election exp.,		
Making caucus and reg. list,	4.00	
Making list to be made,	2.00	
Making voters,	2.00	
Making check list,	1.00	
Making election exp.,	2.00	

A. Filley,	$1.50	
Wm. Shattuck,	1.50	
D. C. Wilcox,	1.50	$15.50
P. M. Reed, election expenses,		
Making caucus and reg. list,	4.00	
Making list to be made,	2.00	
Making voters,	2.00	
Printing notices,	2.24	
Wm. Maltbie,	1.50	
C. P. Loomis,	1.50	
M. G. Griffin,	1.50	
H. M. Hayes,	1.50	
Floyde Reed,	1.50	19.74
A. B. Wells, Treas., C. S. F.,		18.00
Frank Kendall, Int. on order,		40.00
F. E. Rice, postage and stationery, 1907,	1.60	
Pd. A. Stevens, cartage,	.70	2.30
Smith-Linsley Co., printing 250 Town Reports,		29.50
J. W. Ruick, Hartford, for Town Reports,	3.50	
Paid Geo. W. Avery, carting,	.50	
A. Stevens,	.50	4.50
James Johnson, work on booths,		1.50
E. P. Rice, attending Sperry case,		2.50
Mrs. L. E. Rice, Int. on Order No. 31,		13.00
C. B. Holcomb, tile and cement,		17.42
Evening Post, Adv. notices,		6.30
L. C. Holcomb, auditing, two years,		4.00
Irving Holcomb, setting trees,		6.00
Hartford Printing Co., 500 tax lists,	4.50	
10 sheet abstract,	2.70	
500 post cards,	6.50	13.70
T. G. Case, auditing, two years,		4.00
A. B. Wells, Treas., Int. on Order No. 60-78 see C. L. F.		127.50
C. W. Crouse, keeping lantern,		1.00
J. W. Ruick, carting plank,		2.00
A. H. Gillette, work on Town Hall,		1.25
Mrs. Emroy Wilcox, Int. on Order No. 36,		12.00
J. W. Ruick, taking James Price to hospital,		3.75
J. W. Howard, loam,		3.40
Francis Spring, assessing,	22.00	
Making abstract,	10.00	32.00
W. N. Clark, assessing,		22.00
H. J. Beman, assessing,	22.00	
Blanks,	.60	22.60
E. B. Case, services Board of Health,	22.75	
Disinfectants,	14.15	36.90

A. B. Wells, Treas., Int. on Order No. 94,		$25.00
Granby Cemetery Asso., Int. on Order No. 125,	$80.00	
Borrowed Money,	1,000.00	1,080.00
R. B. Chatfield, return of births and deaths,		6.25
Mrs. Anna Weed, Int. on Order No. 33,		20.00
Mrs. Emma Huggins, Int. on Order No. 34,		20.00
F. E. Rice, services Fire Warden,		5.00
John Wiloughby, services on Ashmore case,		4.00
J. W. Ruick, enrollment list,	3.00	
One-half day to Hartland,	1.25	4.25
C. M. Wooster, M.D., return of births and deaths,		2.25
J. W. Ruick, dog posters,	2.00	
Tax Collector's Book,	1.25	3.25
Marshall Griffin, services on Board of Relief,	12.00	
Adv.,	2.25	14.25
J. W. Ruick, March 17, Hartford to see Com.,	2.50	
1 Burning Stamp,	1.10	
March 25, to Hartford Hospital,	2.50	
Fwt. on Scraper,	6.30	
Fwt. on Scraper Edge,	.25	12.65
A. W. Carter, one road machine,		226.00
F. E. Rice, service on Board Relief,	9.00	
Making Tax Book,	8.00	17.00
Est. of Levi Rice, 1 cord of wood,		3.50
E. Yorgenson, damage to wagon,		5.00
F. J. Guy, storage,		6.00
S. W. Edwards, printing ballots,		3.65
F. J. Devnen, repair on Scraper and tools, 1907,		8.25
Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co., one town Record Book,		23.65
J. W. Ruick, fwt. on Scraper edge,	.50	
A. Stevens, cartage,	.50	1.00
S. W. Edwards, Memorial Day,		20.00
C. B. Case, service on Board of Relief, 1907,		6.00
J. W. Ruick, Hartford see Com.,	3.50	
Pd. E. Rosier, repair scraper,	.40	3.90
Gilbert Smith, cutting trees,		1.00
E. B. Case, Text Book Agt.,	25.00	
Expenses,	23.10	48.10
W. N. Clark, gravel,		2.50
J. W. Ruick, Hartford see Comm.,	3.50	
Express on Town Order Book,	.35	3.85
T. M. Shaw, repairs,		1.55
R. B. Holcomb, gravel, 1907-1908,		5.60
Conn. Trap Rock Co., 60,800 lbs. stone,		42.56
H. G. Viets, due on List, 1904,	65.90	
Due on List, 1905,	69.07	
Part Payment on 1907,	75.00	209.97

L. L. Korn, loam,		$ 2.60
A. W. Carter, 1 Scraper Edge,		8.50
Loomis Bros. Co., supplies for town,		20.89
C. M. Gaines, 50 sheets list of voters,	$6.25	
C. M. Gaines, 50 sheets list of voters,	2.00	8.25
M. C. Hayes, gravel and loam,		8.50
Mrs. Mary Day, loam,		10.00
C. P. Loomis, services as Town Clerk to Jan. 1st,		20.10
E. H. Shattuck, services as Town Clerk from Jan. 1st,		25.60
J. W. Ruick, services as Selectman,	100.00	
Return of burials,	6.00	
Postage, stationery and telephone,	6.50	112.50
A. B. Wells, services as Town Treasurer, services as Town Deposit Fund,		45.00
L. L. Korn, services as 2nd Selectman,		50.00
C. D. Griffin, services as 3rd Selectman,		25.00
Total,		$2,715.28

ASSETS.

Balance due on bond of 1907,	$183.59
Balance due on bond of 1908,	2,936.37
Funds in treasury,	3,205.09
Town tools,	300.00
	$6,625.05

LIABILITIES.

Town deposit fund order,	$4,935.42
Old orders unpaid;	
Order No. 36, Dec. 15, 1893, Emory Wilcox,	300.00
" 33, Feb. 2, 1897, Mrs. O. J. Weed,	500.00
" 34, Feb. 2, 1897, Emma L. Huggins,	500.00
" 60, Dec. 1, 1900, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, Treas.,	300.00
" 18, Oct. 15, 1901, H. J. Dewey,	300.00
" 36, Nov. 18, 1901, H. J. Dewey,	1,000.00
" 94, Jan. 1, 1904, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, Treas.,	500.00
" 29, Oct. 1, 1904, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, Treas.,	400.00
" 31, Oct. 21, 1905, Mrs. L. E. Rice,	325.00
" 125, Jan. 17, 1906, Granby Cemetery Assn.,	2,000.00
" 78, Dec. 13, 1906, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, Treas.,	2,500.00
New orders unpaid,	
" 110, Jan. 1, 1908, Granby Cemetery Assn.,	1,000.00
Other new orders unpaid,	169.96
	$14,730.38

SUMMARY.

Incidentals,	$2,715.28	
Schools,	4,868.40	
Bridges and Sluices,	359.44	
Town Poor,	461.17	
Highway,	1,981.46	
Railing,	42.50	
Water Tubs,	29.00	
Plank and Timber,	262.07	
Abutments,	19.50	
Bushes,	18.37	
Snow,	12.50	
Abatements, List 1905,	18.53	
Abatements, List 1906,	156.64	
Total,		$10,944.85

J. W. RUICK,
L. L. KORN,
C. D. GRIFFIN,
SELECTMEN.

Personally appeared the above, Selectmen of Granby, and made oath to the truth of the foregoing statement.

THEODORE G. CASE, *Justice of the Peace.*

GRANBY, CONN., Sept. 21, 1908.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

1907		Dr.	
Oct.	4.	To funds in Treasury, . . .	$2,952.06
		To L. H. Wilcox, Tax not on list, .	8.50
	5.	To cash from State, for average attendance,	2,213.42
	8.	" from F. E. Rice for Hall rent, .	1.00
	24.	" for transportation and tuition of High School pupils, . .	234.00
Dec.	5,	" from S. W. Edwards, for fine,	1.00
1908			
Jan.	15.	" borrowed of Granby Cemetery Assn.,	1,000.00
Mar.	5.	" from T. G. Case, for fine, .	1.00
	6.	" State appropriation for schools,	576.00
	26.	" from civil list funds for paupers,	14.89
Apr.	11.	" from civil list funds for paupers,	78.00
	18.	" from State for corporation taxes,	194.35
May	5.	" from H. G. Viets for tax not on list,	6.84
Aug.	10.	" from dog license fund from State,	85.55
	10.	" from civil list funds for State paupers,	48.22
	24.	" from State for supervision of Com. Schools, . .	150.00
Sept.	8.	" for tuition in High Schools from State,	286.21
	8.	" for transportation for High School pupils	86.25
	8.	" from H. G. Viets on bond of 1905,	124.73
	8.	" from H. G. Viets bal. of interest on 1905 bond, . .	21.48
	8.	" from H. G. Viets on bond of 1906,	70.94
	8.	" from H. G. Viets bal. of interest on 1906 bond, . .	8.92
	8.	" from H. G. Viets on bond of 1907,	2,458.15
	8.	" from H. G. Viets interest on 1907 bond,	188.89
	8.	" from H. G. Viets on bond of 1908,	4,643.02
	8.	" from H. G. Viets interest on 1908 bond,	7.67
			$15,461.09
1907		Cr.	
Oct.	2.	By cash paid for county tax, . .	$144.55
Nov.	9.	" " for military com. tax, .	324.00
Dec.	12.	" " T. G. Case, Justice order,	3.14
1908			
June	10.	" " A. J. Weed, Justice order,	11.04
Aug.	28.	" " T. G. Case, Justice order,	11.40

Jan.	15.	By Town Order 185, of Aug. 31, 1892, .	$1,000.00
	15.	By interest on same for 4 mos. 14 days,	14.88
July	9.	By Town Order 101, of April 1, 1903, .	700.00
	9.	By interest on same, 1 yr. 3 mos., .	43.75
Sept.	19.	By other old orders paid, . .	228.33
	19.	By new orders paid, . . .	9,774.91
	19.	By funds in Treasury, . . .	3,205.09
			$15,461.09

TREASURER OF DOG LICENSE FUND.

1908		Dr.	
June	1.	To cash from Town Clerk for dog licenses,	$156.11
Sept.	17.	To cash from Town Clerk for dog licenses,	8.00
			$164.11
1908		Cr.	
June	8.	By dog license money paid to State, .	$98.31
	8.	By fees paid to Chas. Allshouse, dog warden,	25.00
Sept.	17.	By funds in Treasury, . . .	40.80
			$164.11

TREASURER OF TOWN DEPOSIT FUND.

1907		Dr.	
Oct.	4.	To Town Deposit Fund Order, . .	$4,935.42
1908		Cr.	
Sept.	21.	By Town Deposit Fund Order, . .	$4,935.42

THE FREDERICK H. COSSITT LIBRARY.

1907			
Nov.	23.	Order No. 125, John J. Doherty, .	$ 4.50
	23.	Order No. 126, E. H. Shattuck, . .	20.82
1908			
Jan.	18.	Order No. 127, Bertha S. Beach, .	$37.50
Feb.	28.	Order No. 128, E. H. Shattuck, . .	22.35
July	10.	Order No. 129, Bertha S. Beach, .	32.50
			$117.67

A. B. WELLS, Treasurer, in account with the FREDERICK H. COSSITT LIBRARY AND FUND.

		Dr.	
Oct.	6.	To cash balance, . . .	$2.74
	6.	To Bank Book No. 225,999, Pratt St. Bank,	100.00
	6.	To Library Order No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900,	300.00
	6.	To Library Order No. 94, Jan 1, 1904,	500.00
	6.	To Library Order No. 29, Oct. 1, 1904, .	400.00

	6.	To Library Order No. 78, Dec. 13, 1906,	$2,500.00
	6.	To Interest on Town Order No. 29, Oct. 1, 1904,	18.00
Dec.	13.	To Interest on Town Order No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900,	15.00
	13.	To Interest on Town Order No. 78, Dec. 13, 1906,	112.50
1908			
Jan.	13.	To Interest on Town Order No. 94, Jan. 1, 1904,	25.00
			$3,973.24

		Cr.	
1907			
Oct.	6	By Cash for Library expenses in 1906, .	$5.00
Nov.	1.	By Order No. 123, . . .	29.05
	1.	By Order No. 124, . . .	32.50
	2.	By cash for Library expenses in 1907, .	5.00
Dec.	13.	By Order No. 125, . . .	4.50
	13.	By Order No. 126, . . .	20.82
1908			
Jan.	20.	By Order No. 127, . . .	37.50
Mar.	2.	By Order No. 128, . . .	22.35
July	13.	By cash for Library expenses in 1908, .	5.00
Sept.	21.	By Bank Book No. 225,999, Pratt St. Bank,	100.00
	21.	By Library Order No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900,	300.00
	21.	By Library Order No. 94, Jan. 1, 1904,	500.00
	21.	By Library Order No. 29, Oct. 1, 1904,	400.00
	21.	By Library Order No. 78, Dec. 13, 1906,	2,500.00
	21.	By funds in Treasury, . . .	11.52
			$3,973.24

We, the undersigned, have examined and verified the above accounts, and believe them to be correct.

THEODORE G. CASE,
LUZERNE C. HOLCOMBE,
Auditors under oath.

Report of the Board of Education of Granby
Year Ending July 14, 1908.

The following report shows the money appropriated in the different Districts and how expended for school purposes during the year.

At the Annual Meeting held during July, 1907, the Joint Board of Selectmen and School Visitors recommended the following appropriations for the different Districts:

District No. 1,	$644.00	District No. 6,	$348.00
" No. 2,	348.00	" No. 8,	339.00
" No. 3,	272.00	" No. 9,	340.00
" No. 4,	644.00	" No. 10,	351.00
" No. 5,	272.00	" No. 11,	339.00
			$3,897.00

Amount Appropriated July, 1908.

District Receipts and Expenses.

District	From Town Treas.	Wages	Fuel and Incidentals
No. 1,	$644.00	$612.00	$32.00
No. 2,	348.00	324.00	24.00
No. 3,	247.65	231.00	16.65
No. 4,	644.00	612.00	32.00
No. 5,	270.00	252.00	18.00
No. 6,	340.00	324.00	16.00
No. 8,	339.00	324.00	15.00
No. 9,	340.00	324.00	16.00
No. 10,	351.00	324.00	27.00
No. 11,	339.00	324.00	15.00
	$3,862.65	$3,651.00	$211.65

Appropriations for Schools,		$3,897.00
Amount expended for text books,		72.77
Supervision,		150.00
High School tuition fees,		143.89
Transportation,		86.25
Other expenses,		73.91
		$4,403.82
Amount of State grant,	$2,115.79	
Town Deposit Fund,	296.12	
Enumeration grant,	576.00	
Appropriation, not drawn,	34.35	$3,022.26
		$1,381.56

The condition of the schools at this time are on the gain and above the average in many respects.

There are some things which might be improved. The one thing which would be of most benefit to the schools of the town would be Town management.

The old district system in days gone by answered the purpose but the advance along educational lines calls for a more careful order of looking after the needs in the various districts of the town.

Yours respectfully,

EDGAR B. CASE,

Secretary.

GRANBY, CONN., Sept. 21, 1908.

1908

Report of J. B. McLean,

Superintendent of Schools.

For information concerning plan of school work, course of study, examinations, promotions, etc., I will refer any interested to a pamphlet containing this information in detail. A copy will be sent to any applicant.

Information concerning attendance.

District No. 1,	Total registration,	62	Average attendance,	44.9
" No. 2,	" "	33	" "	26.7
" No. 3,	" "	4	" "	2.5
" No. 4,	" "	31	" "	20.6
" No. 5,	" "	5	" "	3.2
" No. 6,	" "	20	" "	11.2
" No. 8,	" "	15	" "	12.4
" No. 9,	" "	12	" "	9.9
" No. 10,	" "	36	" "	25.5
" No. 11,	" "	13	" "	9.9

The above shows a low percentage of attendance in several districts. While this is due in a measure to epidemics of children's diseases, there has been great carelessness on the part of some parents as to the regularity of their childrens attendance. The great majority show a most commendable zeal in this respect.

TEACHERS.

The following teachers were employed in the several districts:

No. 1. Harriette E. Hayes. Mary J. Murrey.
No. 2. Mary F. Cuminsky. Elizabeth McRea.
No. 3. Ida A. Hayes. Lena Clarke.
No. 4. Jenney M. Filley. Margeret English.
No. 5. Clara E. Miller.
No. 6. Sally J. Vining.
No. 8. Caroline F. Galpin.
No. 9. Elizabeth Doyle. Bertha Taylor. Mary Whalen.
No. 10. Maude E. Blakeman.
No. 11. Elsie J. Messenger. Susan Spring.

The above record shows many changes in the teaching force during the school year. The reasons for these changes were: Failure of teachers to keep engagements; sickness, and failure to obtain required

credentials. These changes always interrupt and make it difficult to get good results.

The teacher is the school in a great measure and it is of vital importance to secure and retain teachers of ability and training.

Good teachers are engaged early in the season and district committees should not defer securing a teacher until late in the vacation. They should also bear in mind that the town of Granby requires all teachers to obtain state certificates. This should, in all cases, be done before the schools open.

Parent's day and exhibition of school work.

At the close of the school year an exhibition of the work of the pupils was given in all the districts. The parents were especially invited to inspect this work and many accepted the invitation.

I wish parents might realize how their active interest in the work of the school is an incentive to a teacher.

Closing exercises were held at Library Hall, June 5. All schools had a part in the programme given.

The following pupils having finished the work of the ninth grade were granted certificates of graduation:

Ralph R. Griffin, Archer Taft, Amelia M. Silkey, Maurice Beeman, Merrit Beeman, Lena Clark, Gunelda Guy, Norwood Guy, Helen M. Clark, Beula Parmalee, Lena E. Bunnell, Charles L. Judd, Warren M. Lampson.

Very respectfully,

J. B. McLean.

Report of the Health Officer.

To the Selectmen of the Town of Granby.

The following report is submitted by your Health Officer:

The report which I have to give at this time is on the whole very satisfactory and deserves more than ordinary notice. In a town with a population of twelve or thirteen hundred people there has been but one death from contagious disease reported to the Health Officer.

There was an epidemic of measles in the first part of the year which though it affected the schools was not spread to any extent.

The complaints of nuisances called to my notice have been very few.

There have been some questions to settle in regard to the dumping of rubbish in streams, and the sanitary condition of the public water supply which has in each case been settled in turn as it came to the notice of the Officer.

There was one case of Diphtheria in town the patient coming from Hartford. The case was immediately quarantined and after recovery a thorough disinfecting of the house and furnishings was executed with good results as there were no new cases.

In regard to the school houses and out buildings there is a very marked improvement.

There has been an effort made on the part of the State Board of Education as well as the State Board of Health to improve the sanitary conditions of school houses and school property which is making a good showing.

The days of unkept school houses and poorly kept school grounds and unsanitary out buildings on school property are passed.

The start made along these lines in a short time will show a marked change for the better.

Your Health Officer invites the co-operation of the whole town in suppressing nuisances which exist which might be abated by the timely notice of one to whom it is known to exist.

Such information will be regarded as wholly confidential and treated as such.

Respectfully submitted,

Edgar B. Case,

Town Health Officer.

Dated at Granby, Sept. 23, 1908.

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SELECTMEN'S REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF GRANBY,

FROM

September 20, 1908, to September 20, 1909.

SCHOOLS.

District No. 1, Wm. M. Maltbie, Treas.		
Teachers,	$602.00	
Fuel,	23.50	
Incidentals,	18.50	$644.00
District No. 2. P. M. Reed, Treas.		
Teacher,	324.00	
Fuel,	17.50	
Incidentals,	6.50	348.00
District No. 3, W. Edgerton, Treas.		
Teacher,	259.00	
Fuel,	15.00	
Incidentals,	1.99	275.99
District No. 4, A. B. Wells, Treas.		
Teacher,	360.00	
Fuel,	12.00	
Incidentals,	9.10	381.10
District No. 5, E. B. Case, Treas.		
Teacher,	238.00	
Fuel,	16.00	
Incidentals,	6.00	260.00
District No. 6, L. L. Fuller, Treas.		
Teacher,	324.00	
Fuel,	19.48	
Incidentals,	4.52	348.00
District No. 8, Ned E. Kendall, Treas.		
Teacher,	324.00	
Fuel,	20.00	344.00

District No. 9, C. B. Case, Treas.		
Teacher,	$324.00	
Fuel,	16.00	$340.00
District No. 10, Geo. B. Clark, Treas.		
Teacher,	324.00	
Fuel,	17.50	
Incidentals,	9.45	350.95
District No. 11, A. A. Griffin, Treas.		
Teacher,	324.00	
Fuel,	13.50	
Incidentals,	1.50	339.00
Total,		$3,631.04
Simsbury High School Tuition,		529.16
Transportation,		212.00
J. B. McLean, Supt.,		
Salary,	400.00	
Books, Blanks, Diplomas,	10.57	
Postage, Stationery and Expenses,	11.78	422.35
E. B. Case,		
Text Books,	25.00	
Services as Secretary and Examiner,	25.78	50.78
Total,		$4,845.33

HIGHWAYS.

C. D. Griffin,	$15.00
Lewis Korn,	8.00
John Stevenson,	11.20
John Hang,	10.50
James Drake,	.75
Louis Shears,	4.50
Nate Holcomb,	1.25
R. B. Holcomb,	8.00
Martin Omearra,	11.55
George Clark,	1.75
John Dougherty,	10.40
Charles Rowe,	8.75
A. Jasobie,	7.00
Jesse White,	5.25
C. A. Stevens,	1.35
John Omeara,	10.00
W. B. Holcomb,	2.50
Ralph Deming,	6.13
Ingman Bros.,	11.03
J. W. Ruick,	225.25
W. Humphrey,	151.00

John Rowe,	$158.52	
L. Edgerton,	99.76	
L. Thipedore,	68.26	
A. Clark,	94.24	
Geo. B. Clark,	24.68	
A. O. Bowers,	35.00	
N. E. Ruick,	19.25	
J. S. Ruick,	14.00	
M. Barnes,	25.38	
Hube Wilcox,	32.25	
L. Gilbert,	17.20	
Fred Gregory,	32.38	
F. J. Howard, road team,	832.75	
Total,		$1,964.83

STATE ROAD.

F. Arrigoni Bros.,	$5,000.00	
Amos Bridge Sons,	8,464.50	
Total,		13,464.50

BRIDGES AND SLUICES.

C. D. Griffin,	$29.37	
James Johnson,	1.50	
N. E. Ruick,	3.50	
Lewis Korn,	9.25	
Martin O'Mearra,	2.50	
Leon Gilbert,	8.75	
J. W. Ruick,	69.30	
W. Humphrey,	16.00	
John Rowe,	23.75	
Lloyd Edgerton,	8.75	
A. Clark,	52.01	
George B. Clark,	13.75	
Total,		238.43

BUSHES.

Wallace Humphrey,	$22.00	
Charles B. Fox,	1.75	
Louis Shears,	1.50	
Total,		25.25

RAILING.

J. W. Ruick,	$2.50	
W. Humphrey,	13.00	
John Rowe,	11.38	
A. O. Bowers,	10.50	
Total,		37.38

WATER TUBS.

George Peck,	$3.00	
George O. Beach,	3.00	
Estate Levi Rice,	3.00	
A. Jasmine,	3.00	
Salmon Brook Water Company,	6.00	
W. B. Holcomb,	3.00	
Total,		$21.00

SNOW WORK.

J. W. Ruick,	$1.00	
Paid F. Messenger,	.75	
" L. Godard,	.50	
Total,		2.25

PLANK AND TIMBER.

Fred Huggins,	$4.00	
F. B. Lockwood,	70.46	
M. Webber,	19.00	
Carl Carlson,	38.03	
E. R. Beman,	22.27	
C. D. Griffin,	7.00	
M. C. Hayes,	82.80	
Total,		243.56

TOWN POOR.

C. L. Humphrey, keeping tramps,	$1.50
E. Shannon, keeping tramps,	2.00
A. J. Weed, attending pauper,	2.00
L. Condon, supplies furnished R. Sullivan,	2.00
Hartford Hospital, care of R. Sanford,	74.00
Byron Calhoun, care of R. Sullivan,	18.00
Conn. Fob Corp., rent and fuel for A. Bogdnas family,	20.63
Mrs. Geo. Day, care of Myron Kent,	69.22
Frank Wright, care of Myron Kent,	2.50
Wm. Pease, burial of child at Geo. Poninskie,	36.00
Tariffville Lace Mfg. Co., rent for Mrs. A. Emerson, 39 weeks,	39.00
Mrs. Martha MacDonald, care of Mr. Sanderson,	180.65
Lewis Bennett, care of Mr. Sanderson,	16.00
J. R. Hayes & Son, burial of Myron Kent,	16.00
" " Chester Weed,	17.00
" " James Gladwin,	20.00
Frank Devner, care of R. Sullivan,	6.00
Fred Devner, R. Sullivan,	1.00

M. Sanford, care of F. Phelps,	$132.55	
" wood for Mrs. A. Emerson,	9.50	
Loomis Bros. Co., supplies furnished E. Pettibone,	14.87	
" " A. Bogdnas,	40.46	
" " R. Sullivan,	.33	
" " C. B. Fox,	2.14	
J. W. Ruick, delivering supplies to A. Bogdnas family, 10 weeks,	7.50	
Total,		$730.85

ABATEMENTS, LIST 1906.

Wm. Holcomb, exempt,	$2.00	
Grant Spaulding, error,	1.00	3.00
Interest on same,		.63
Total,		$3.63

LIST 1907.

Charles Broughton, minor,	$2.00
Florence Case, gone,	2.23
Eben Clark, gone,	.52
Harry Cooley, gone,	2.00
Fred Davis, minor,	2.00
Wm. Edgerton, error,	2.00
E. B. Fox, error,	1.00
Durham Floyd, minor,	2.00
Portor Griffin, error,	2.00
Charles F. Griffin, error,	2.00
J. B. Holden, gone,	2.00
Wm. Holcomb, exempt,	2.00
Dennis Kelley, minor,	2.00
John Linden, gone,	2.00
Tracy Messenger, error,	.43
Henry Parker, gone,	2.00
F. M. Parmlee, exempt,	2.00
George Pease estate, error,	6.06
Bert Parker, minor,	2.00
E. H. Shattuck, error,	2.00
A. Stevens, error,	2.00
Grant Spaulding, error,	1.00
Henry Teft, error,	1.00
Edw. Willoughby, minor,	2.00
A. Carlson, error,	16.32
Burnie Holcomb, error,	.77
A. Silkey,	2.00

J. Mitchelson, error,	$10.20	$75.53
Interest on same,		8.50
Total,		$84.03

BOARD OF HEALTH.

E. B. Case,		19.50

INCIDENTALS.

James Johnson, loam,		6.20
J. W. Ruick, Hartford for town reports,	$3.50	
Team for surveyor stakes,	1.50	5.00
Simplex Mfg. Co., sawing stakes,		3.00
Evening Post, adv. notice,		1.50
Hartford Printing Company, 1 selectmen order book,		8.50
Albert Wells, treas. C. L. F., interest on order No. 29,		18.00
J. W. Ruick, express on town reports,		.35
Nathaniel Holcomb,	4.00	
Two days caucus reg. list to be made,	2.00	
One day making voters,	2.00	
Check list,	1.00	
Town election,	2.00	
A. H. Wilcox,	1.50	
D. C. "	1.50	
Wm. Shattuck,	1.50	
A. L. Filley,	1.50	17.00
J. W. Ruick, Hartford on state road,		3.50
W. N. Clark, gravel and loam,		2.70
F. J. Howard, team,		41.75
E. B. Case, investigating school property,		31.00
Mrs. L. E. Rice, interest on order No. 31,		13.00
J. W. Ruick, Hartford state road,	3.50	
Team drawing tile,	1.25	4.75
P. M. Reed, October election, caucus reg. list 2 days,	4.00	
Adv. in Evening Post,	2.00	
Election expenses,	4.00	
Making voters,	6.00	
Charles Newton,	1.50	
Milo Griffin,	1.50	
Harold Hayes,	1.50	
F. G. Case,	1.50	
Edw. Shattuck,	1.50	
November election, Floyd Reed,	1.50	
Harold Hayes,	1.50	
Edw. Shattuck,	1.50	
Milo Griffin,	1.50	29.50

Nathaniel Holcomb, making voters,	$5.00	
Making check list,	1.00	
Making list,	2.00	
Wm. Maltbie,	1.50	
A. L. Filley,	1.50	
Wm. Shattuck,	1.50	
Milo Wilcox,	1.50	
Election day,	2.00	$16.00
Wm. Gaylord, carting sand,		1.00
J. W. Ruick, Hartford state road,		3.50
L. C. Holcomb, services as Auditor,		2.00
Elmore Lampson, gravel,		1.75
George Newton, assessing,		15.00
F. L. Spring, assessing,		15.00
W. N. Clark, assessing,	15.00	
Hartford for blanks,	3.50	
Express on blanks,	.50	19.00
C. B. Holcomb, 182 ft. tile,		56.00
Mrs. Emroy Wilcox, interest on order No. 36,		12.00
Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co., 600 ballots,		3.65
F. E. Rice, Services as Fire Warden,		4.50
C. A. Stevens, error on tax,		1.00
A. B. Wells, Treas. C. L. Fund, interest on Orders No. 60-94-78,		152.50
J. W. Ruick, Hartford state road,	3.50	
Time spent at George Poninski,	2.25	
Time and expenses looking up Andrew Bogdnas' family, East Granby, Bloomfield, Hartford, East Windsor, Suffield,	11.50	17.25
James Johnson, putting up and taking down booths,		2.25
Maltbie & Maltbie, Granby viz. Spurr case, Ashmore case, searching records for highway lines, Leon Phelps case, officers and court fees and Town services, 1906-1907,		318.03
Granby Cemetery Asso., interest on orders,		120.00
Hartford Printing Co., 250 Town reports,	44.50	
500 post cards,	6.50	
550 tax lists,	4.55	
110 sheet abstract,	2.70	57.25
R. B. Chatfield, return births and deaths,	4.25	
Helen Ashmore,	1.25	
Myron Kent,	12.75	
Three paupers,	3.50	21.75
W. N. Clark, making abstract,		10.00
Mrs. Emma Huggins, interest on order No. 34,		20.00
Mrs. Anna Weed, interest on order No. 33,		20.00

G. B. Smith, cutting out road,		$2.00
Edw. Johnson, cutting out road,		1.00
J. W. Ruick, trip to Hartland,	$1.50	
Hartford and expenses,	3.50	
Digging grave Myron Kent,	4.00	
Making enrollment list,	3.00	
Time at C. A. Stevens with Chatfield,	1.50	
Hartford Hospital with R. Sanford,	2.50	
Expenses,	3.50	19.50
F. E. Cleveland, dog posters,	1.25	
1 tax book,	1.25	
Postage,	.25	2.75
F. J. Guy, storage,		6.00
L. White, gravel,		5.60
F. E. Rice, making tax books,		10.00
J. W. Ruick, Hartford hospital,	3.50	
Team drawing tile,	2.00	
Freight on scraper repairs,	.25	5.75
Nate Holcomb, keeping lantern,		.75
Lewis Korn, two days making voters,	4.00	
½ day Town Clerk's office,	1.25	
½ day Ned E. Kendall,	1.25	
Gravel,	1.00	
Paid H. Day,	.25	7.75
J. W. Ruick, Bloomfield,		2.50
Lyal Broughton, team,		13.20
F. J. Devnen, repairs on scraper and tools,		6.25
C. B. Holcomb, tile,		12.80
A. W. Carter, two scraper edges and bolts,		17.30
F. E. Cleveland, dog license blanks,		1.12
F. F. Small, insurance on Town hall,		15.00
M. H. Griffin, services Board Relief,	15.00	
Advertisement,	3.00	18.00
E. P. Rice, services Board Relief,		15.00
H. W. Viets, services Board Relief,		15.00
J. W. Ruick, Hartford and expenses,	3.50	
Glasses for E. Pettibone,	1.50	
Express on parts for scraper,	.40	5.40
Stanley Edwards, Memorial Day,		20.00
A. M. Graham, blasting,		2.85
R. B. Holcomb, stone, loam, keeping lantern,		6.00
Charles Premeaux, painting iron bridge,		12.95
F. E. Rice, forest fires,		6.00
Connecticut Trap Rock Co., 7 cars stone,		27.50
J. W. Ruick, team drawing plank,	1.00	
Digging grave for Chester Weed,	4.00	
Hartford,	3.50	8.50

Granby Cemetery Asso., two burial lots,		$35.00
H. G. Viets, error on tax of Wm. Moriss,		12.24
J. W. Ruick, drawing tubeing,	$1.00	
Freight on tubeing,	3.25	4.25
F. B. Makepeace, attending funerals,		2.00
J. B. Ruick, digging grave of James Gladwin,		4.00
New England Metal Culvert Co., for culvert,		112.48
F. E. Rice, forest fires,		8.00
J. W. Ruick, team drawing plank,	5.50	
Team drawing tile to N. Granby,	4.00	9.50
Wareham Clark, keeping lantern,		2.00
Mary Place, stone for sluices,		1.25
Geo. F. Clark, loam,		1.90
M. C. Hayes, gravel and loam,		4.50
E. H. Mellgren, 100 caucus lists,		6.90
James Johnson, loam,		6.50
J. W. Ruick, paid S. Welden, 1 plowpoint and express,	1.00	
Hartford and expenses,	3.50	4.50
Mrs. E. M. Crandle, stone for sluices,		1.20
E. H. Shattuck, services as Town clerk,		36.50
C. D. Griffin, making voters,		3.00
O. D. Case Co., eight school desks,		33.00
H. G. Viets, part payment, 1908,		75.00
James Peck, damage by dogs, one calf,		5.00
Loomis Bros. Co., supplies furnished Town,	36.71	
196 ft. 12 in. tile,	68.60	
98 ft. 15 in. tile,	46.30	151.61
W. N. Clark, appraising school property,		6.00
A. B. Wells, services Town Treasurer,		75.00
J. W. Ruick, services as Selectman,	100.00	
Return of burials,	6.00	
Postage and stationery,	3.75	
Telephone,	2.00	111.75
		$2,054.74

ASSETS.

Balance due on bond of 1907,	$60.34
Balance due on bond of 1908,	144.83
Balance due on bond of 1909,	2,761.66
Funds in treasury,	1,884.67
Town tools,	300.00
Tile on hand,	60.00
Plank,	60.00
Interest due on bond of 1909,	82.83
Total,	$5,354.33

LIABILITIES.

Town deposit fund order, ...	$4,935.42
Old orders unpaid:	
Order No. 36, Dec. 15, 1893, Emory Wilcox, . .	300.00
" 33, Feb. 2, 1897, Mrs. O. J. Weed, .	500.00
" 34, Feb. 2, 1897, Emma L. Huggins, .	500.00
" 60, Dec. 1, 1900, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, treasurer, ...	300.00
" 18, Oct. 15, 1901, H. J. Dewey, . .	300.00
" 36, Nov. 18, 1901, " . .	1,000.00
" 94, Jan. 1, 1904, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, treasurer, ...	500.00
" 29, Oct. 1, 1904, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, treasurer, ...	400.00
" 31, Oct. 21, 1905, Mrs. L. E. Rice, .	325.00
" 125, Jan. 17, 1906, Granby Cemetery Ass'n,	2,000.00
" 78, Dec. 13, 1906, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, treasurer, ...	2,500.00
New orders unpaid:	
" 110, Jan. 1, 1908, Granby Cemetery Ass'n,	1,000.00
Other new orders unpaid, ...	141.22
Total, ...	$14,701.64

SUMMARY.

Schools, ...	$4,845.33
Highways, ...	1,964.83
Bridges and Sluices, ...	238.43
Abatements, List 1906, ...	3.63
Abatements, List 1907, ...	84.03
State Road, T. Arrigoni Bros., ...	5,000.00
" A. Bridge Sons, ...	8,464.50
Incidentals, ...	2,054.74
Town Poor, ...	730.85
Bushes, ...	25.25
Railing, ...	37.38
Water Tubs, ...	21.00
Snow Work, ...	2.25
Plank and Timber, ...	243.56
Board of Health, ...	19.50
Total, ...	$23,735.28

J. W. RUICK,
L. L. KORN,
C. D. GRIFFIN, } *Selectmen.*

Treasurer's Report.

1908		Dr.	
Oct.	5.	To funds in Treasury, . . .	$3,205.09
	5.	To cash from J. W. Ruick, hall rent, .	5.50
		From State for repairs on State Road, .	34.80
	27.	To cash from State Treasurer for State Road,	750.00
Nov.	20.	" " "	2,762.33
Dec.	9.	" " "	1,500.00
	15.	" from State, average school attendance,	2,072.21
	23.	" " State Roads, . .	3,500.00
1909			
Feb.	15.	" " " . .	1,000.00
Mar.	6.	" " appropriations for Schools,	607.50
Apr.	17.	" " for corporation taxes,	182.08
May	1.	" " for fox bounties, .	30.00
	24.	" " for State Roads, .	1,610.00
June	5.	" from H. G. Viets, not on tax list,	12.24
July	3.	" from State Treasurer, for State paupers,	11.83
	7.	" " " Roads,	354.50
	7.	" from J. W. Ruick, over payment for incidentals in 4th School District,	7.00
	13.	" from State Treasurer for State Roads,	1,500.00
	13.	" from Treasurer of City of Waterbury for pauper, . .	34.50
	27.	" from N. E. Metal Culvert Co., .	3.25
Sept.	22.	" from H. G. Viets on bond of 1907,	123.25
	22.	" for interest on same, . .	13.65
	22.	" from H. G. Viets on bond of 1908,	2,791.49
	22.	" for interest on same, . .	136.64
	22.	" from H. G. Viets on bond of 1909,	4,884.60
	22.	" for interest on same, . .	6.53
		Total, ...	$27,138.99
1908		Cr.	
Nov.	6.	By cash from military com. tax, . .	$322.20
1909			
May	1.	" paid for fox bounties, . .	30.00
June	17.	" paid to State Treasurer for completed road contract, . .	984.00

Sept.	1.	" paid for county tax, . .	$151.25
	1.	" paid to E. A. Pierce for justice fees,	2.85
	22.	" paid for old orders, . .	169.96
	22.	" paid for new orders, . .	23,594.06
	22.	By funds in Treasury, . . .	1,884.67
		Total, ...	$27,138.99

TREASURER OF DOG LICENSE FUND.

1909		Dr.	
July	3.	To received from Town Clerk, dog licenses,	$167.75
Aug.	17.	To unexpended balance from State, .	147.40
		Total, ...	$315.15
1909		Cr.	
July	3.	By paid State Treasurer $\frac{3}{4}$ amount of dog license, ...	$125.81
	3.	By paid State Treasurer balance of last year,	40.80
	3.	By funds in Treasury, . . .	148.54
		Total, ...	$315.15

TREASURER OF TOWN DEPOSIT FUND.

1908		Dr.	
Oct.	6.	To Town Deposit Fund Order, . .	$4,935.42
1909		Cr.	
Sept.	21.	By Town Deposit Fund Order, . .	4,935.42

THE FREDERICK H. COSSITT LIBRARY.

1908			
Sept.	28.	Order No. 130, Bertha S. Beach, . .	$6.40
	28.	Order No. 131, F. F. Small & Co., insurance,	37.50
Nov.	2.	Order No. 132, Geo. O. Beach, wood, .	5.00
1909			
Jan.	4.	Order No. 133, E. H. Shattuck, magazines,	18.14
	2.	Order No. 134, Alma O. Carlson, librarian,	32.50
	2.	Order No. 135, H. C. White Co., . .	51.35
Feb.	17.	Order No. 136, F. F. Small & Co., insurance,	12.50
	17.	Order No. 137, E. H. Shattuck, magazines,	22.45
July	16.	Order No. 138, Alma O. Carlson, librarian,	32.50
	16.	Order No. 139, Alma O. Carlson, incidentals,	5.00
		Total, ...	$223.34

A. B. WELLS, Treasurer, in account with the

FREDERICK H. COSSITT LIBRARY AND FUND.

1908		Dr.	
Oct.	6.	To funds in Treasury, . . .	$11.52
	6.	To Town Order No. 78, Dec. 13, 1906, .	2,500.00
	6.	To Town Order No. 29, Oct. 1, 1904, .	400.00
	6.	To Town Order No. 94, Jan. 1, 1904, .	500.00
	6.	To Town Order No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900, .	300.00
	6.	To Bank Book No. 225,999, Pratt St., .	100.00
Nov.	4.	To Interest on same to June 1, 1908, .	11.18
Oct.	1.	To Interest on Order No. 29 above, .	18.00
1909			
Jan.	2.	To Interest on Order No. 60 above, .	15.00
	2.	To Interest on Order No. 78 above, .	112.50
	2.	To Interest on Order No. 94 above, .	25.00
		Total, ...	$3,993.20

1908		Cr.	
Nov.	4.	By Library Order No. 129, . .	$32.50
	14.	By Library Order No. 130, . .	6.40
1909			
Jan.	2.	By Library Order No. 131, . .	37.50
	2.	By Library Order No. 132, . .	5.00
	6.	By Library Order No. 133, . .	18.14
	3.	By Library Order No. 134, . .	32.50
	3.	By Library Order No. 135, . .	51.35
Sept.	22.	By Town Order No. 78, Dec. 13, 1906, .	2,500.00
	22.	By Town Order No. 29, Oct. 1, 1904, .	400.00
	22.	By Town Order No. 94, Jan. 1, 1904, .	500.00
	22.	By Town Order No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900, .	300.00
	22.	By Bank Book No. 225,999, Pratt St., .	100.00
	22.	By funds in Treasury, . . .	9.81
		Total, ...	$3,993.20

We, the undersigned, have examined and verified the above accounts, and believe them to be correct.

MILO D. WILCOX,
JAMES LEE LOOMIS.

Report of the

Board of Education of Granby

for the Year ending July 14, 1909.

The following report of the Board of Education and the Joint Board of Education and Selectmen is respectfully submitted to the citizens of Granby.

At the annual meeting of the Board, held January 17, 1908, L. C. Spring was chosen Chairman, and E. B. Case, Secretary, for the ensuing year. At the same time and place the Joint Board made the following appropriations for the several districts:

District No. 1,	$644	District No. 8,	$344
" 2,	348	" 9,	340
" 3,	272	" 10,	351
" 4,	388	" 11,	339
" 5,	275		
" 6,	348	Amount appropriated, 1908,	$3,649

District Receipts and Expenses.

District.	From Town Treasurer.	Wages.	Fuel and Incidentals.
No. 1.	$644.00	$602.00	$42.00
" 2,	348.00	324.00	24.00
" 3,	275.99	259.00	16.99
" 4,	381.10	360.00	21.10
" 5,	260.00	238.00	22.00
" 6,	348.00	324.00	24.00
" 8,	344.00	324.00	20.00
" 9,	340.00	324.00	16.00
" 10,	350.95	324.00	26.95
" 11,	339.00	324.00	15.00
	$3,631.04	$3,403.00	$228.04

Appropriations for Schools,	$3,649.00
Supervision,	100.00
High School tuition fees,	176.38
Transportation,	106.00
Other expenses,	62.36
Total,	$4,093.74

Amount of State Grant, ...	$2,072.21	
Town Deposit Fund, . . .	296.12	
Enumeration Grant, ...	607.50	
Appropriations not drawn	17.96	$2,993.79
Amount raised by town tax for schools, . .		$1,099.95

Average Attendance Report for 1908-1909.

District.	No. School Days.	Teachers Report Aggregate Attendance.	No. School Days.	Agents Report Aggregate Attendance.	Average Attendance.
One Grammar,	178	3086.5	178	3086.5	17.33
One Primary,	180	5445.5	178	5403.0	30.25
Two,	178	4422.0	177	4424.5	24.99
Three,	178	817.	179	817.0	4.56
Four,	178	4870.0	178	4833.0	27.15
Five,	170	655.5	170	655.5	3.85
Six,	178	1942.5	178	1935.0	10.87
Eight,	178	2717.5	178	2714.5	15.25
Nine,	178	1792.5	178	1797.0	10.09
Ten,	178	5552.5	178	5552.5	31.19
Eleven,	178	1721.0	178	1722.0	9.67
		33022.5		32940.5	185.30
Gran. pupils at Sim. High,	180	2028.0	180	2028.0	11.26
Average attendance of whole number of pupils for year,					196.56
Pupils from E. Granby Dist. No. 1,	178	Less 752.0	178	752.0	4.22
Total average attendance, ...					192.34

The attention of the parents of the children, as well as all others concerned, is called to the fact that the amount of money that the town will receive from the State is based largely on the good attendance in the schools. The average attendance grant received from the State makes a large difference in the amount of money which we have to use for school purposes.

The average attendance last year was 169+. This year it is much better, 192+, which shows more interest taken along with special effort on the part of officers and teachers to keep the attendance of pupils in the schools as regular as possible.

The following pupils having finished the course of study arranged, were granted certificates of graduation:

Nellie G. Kelley,	Leroy G. Dewey,
Raymond E. Howard,	Mabel E. Frazier,
Helen Shaw,	Dwight Newton,
Luella Clark,	John M. Kelley,
Anna Riley,	Frank Ruick,
Edmund C. Holcomb,	George W. Colton.

The schools from now on will be under Town management, the results remain to be seen either for better or for worse.

It seems to me that under the new management, that they can, at least, maintain their former reputation, and I trust even better.

Respectfully submitted,

E. B. CASE,
Secretary.

Report of J. B. McLean,

Superintendent of Schools.

For information concerning courses of study, grading, examinations, promotions and kindred matters, I will refer any interested to a pamphlet containing full information concerning these things, which I shall be pleased to mail to any one requesting it.

Information Concerning Attendance.

District No. 1,	Registration	84,	Average	attendance	47.5
" No. 2,	"	31,	"	"	24.8
" No. 3,	"	12,	"	"	4.5
" No. 4,	"	41,	"	"	27.3
" No. 5,	"	8,	"	"	3.8
" No· 6,	"	13,	"	"	11.2
" No. 8,	"	16,	"	"	15.3
" No. 9,	"	15,	"	"	10.1
" No. 10,	"	36,	"	"	31.5
" No. 11,	"	10,	"	"	9.1

The following teachers were employed during the year:

District No. 1. Edna A. B. Farrell.
" No. 1. Harriette E. Hayes.
" No. 2. Elsie J. Messenger.
" No. 3. Vena M. Stratton.
" No. 3. Lena Clark.
" No. 4. Katherine Widerstrom.
" No. 5. Mrs. Clara E. Miller.
" No. 6. Annie M. Hayes.
" No. 8. Anna F. Whalen.
" No. 8. Maude Blakeman.
" No. 9. Caroline Galpin.
" No. 10. Mrs. Mira G. Clark.
" No. 11. Mabel C. Messenger.

A full and frank estimate of the individual work of the teachers has been made to your school committee. To give such a report here would not be wise or kind. It is sufficient to say that where there has been failure to attain desired results in a teacher's part it has in most cases been due to lack of training and experience. There has been on the part of all an earnest desire to do the best work possible.

Great care should be exercised in the selection of teachers and good teachers should be retained in their positions, if possible.

Public exercises were held at the Library Hall at close of the school year in June, and were largely attended.

The following pupils were graduated:

Frank O. Ruick,	Mabel E. Frazier,
Luella E. Clark,	John M. Kelley,
Lucy J. Dewey,	Ellen G. Kelley,
Helen M. Stone,	Anna T. Kelley,
Dwight M. Colton,	Edmund C. Holcomb,

Raymond E. Howard.

In supervising the schools of the Town, I have made about two hundred visits at the schools.

Very respectfully,

J. B. McLEAN,

Superintendent.

To the Selectmen of the Town of Granby:

The following report is submitted by your Health Officer. As in years gone by the condition of the Town has been very healthy. There has been one case of contagious disease reported to me. This was a case of diphtheria, a child in the south part of the Town.

The child was brought here sick with the disease, and died soon after.

The house was quarantined at once, and the occupants kept in, food being furnished for the family and grain for the horses and cows under the direction of the Town Officers.

The premises were immediately disinfected and all nuisances removed and burned.

The result was satisfactory and no further harm was spread by the disease, which is so much dreaded.

The general condition of School Houses along the line of sanitary cleanliness is good.

The abatement of nuisances called to my notice the past year has been very small. On the whole I think the conditions are very satisfactory.

Respectfully submitted,

EDGAR B. CASE,

Town Health Officer.

Dated at Granby, Sept. 17, 1909.

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SELECTMEN'S REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF GRANBY,

FROM

September 20, 1909, to September 20, 1910.

HIGHWAYS.

John Rowe,	$173.00	
Wallace Humphrey,	138.00	
A. Clark,	118.75	
J. Hang,	22.75	
J. F. Clarry,	3.50	
J. W. Ruick,	217.25	
James E. Lees,	90.99	
C. Broughton,	40.24	
H. Wilcox,	20.25	
W. E. Ruick,	15.75	
R. L. Forsyth,	7.90	
George O. Beach,	26.00	
W. B. Holcomb,	20.00	
F. J. Howard, team,	50.00	
L. L. Korn,	3.50	
F. O. Ruick,	5.25	
M. A. Griffin,	9.75	
A. J. Welch, team,	442.00	
Edward Shannon,	.75	
Total,		$1,405.63

BRIDGES AND SLUICES.

Martin O'Meara,	$2.00
L. L. Korn,	17.75
G. B. Clark,	7.00
J. W. Ruick,	64.85
A. Clark,	88.57
John Rowe,	38.25
Leon Gilbert	1.66
Wallace Humphrey,	27.00
Ned E. Ruick,	17.87

Fred L. Holcomb,	$3.50	
Asa L. Godard,	1.85	
A. H. Gillett,	13.75	
L. S. Clark,	8.00	
Leman Fuller,	3.50	
Alfred Jasmine,	13.00	
R. B. Holcomb,	2.50	
F. O. Ruick,	3.14	
C. D. Griffin,	1.00	
Total,		$315.19

TIMBER AND PLANK.

F. B. Lockwood:		
Railing on Bushy Hill,	$353.65	
" near Greene's,	21.58	
" " W. B. Holcomb,	54.92	
		430.15
Timber and plank,		46.94
M. C. Hayes,		
Plank,		134.52
A. Clark,		
Timber for abutments,		8.00
Total,		$619.61

RAILING.

Wallace Humphrey,	$46.00	
John Rowe,	43.76	
A. O. Bowers,	36.76	
George B. Clark,	29.75	
J. W. Ruick,	34.25	
Leon Gilbert,	1.75	
A. H. Gillett,	55.50	
A. Clark,	6.00	
R. L. Forsyth,	7.00	
Total,		$260.77

BUSHES.

John Rowe,	$16.00	
Wallace Humphrey,	28.00	
J. W. Ruick,	16.00	
G. B. Clark,	7.00	
Leon Gilbert,	7.00	
James E. Lees,	5.25	
Charles Broughton,	5.25	
Total,		$84.50

WATER TUBS.

Walter B. Holcomb,	$3.00	
Alfred Jasmine,	3.00	
George O. Beach,	3.00	
George Peck,	3.00	
Estate of Levi Rice,	3.00	
F. B. Case, 1908, 1909,	6.00	
Salmon Brook Water Co.,	7.00	
Total,		$28.00

STATE ROAD (Old).

F. Arrigoni & Bros.,		$278.00

SNOW WORK.

J. W. Ruick,		$6.55
L. S. Clark,	$1.20	
Paid L. L. Case,	1.20	
" D. H. Case,	.55	
" A. Batatie,	.60	
" Redun and team,	2.70	6.25
M. Silkey,		29.79
A. Clark and team,	14.00	
Paid Milo Hart,	1.50	
" H. Wilcox,	1.50	17.00
Willis Carell,		1.00
James Owen,		5.00
R. B. Messenger and team,	2.90	
Paid L. S. Clark,	.90	
" L. L. Case,	.90	
" M. Pease,	.90	
" W. Siblume,	.90	
A. B. Kelsey,	.30	
D. Case,	.45	
G. B. Clark,	.30	7.55
Albert Silkey,		1.65
Matthew Long,		.90
Fred Devnen,		2.00
Ned E. Ruick,		2.00
Frank O. Ruick,		2.00
Edgar Bunnell and team,		6.00
John Rowe,		2.50
J. W. Clark,		2.00
Lucian Case,		16.27
Joseph Gunther,		2.40

John Stevenson,	$12.00
George H. Miller,	4.35
Willis Edgerton,	9.07
M. A. Griffin,	4.00
C. Rutherford,	1.35
M. Kelley,	1.35
Allen E. Howard,	4.50
C. D. Griffin,	4.35
Total,	$151.83

TOWN POOR.

M. Sanford:		
Care of Florence Phelps,	$107.56	
Wood for Mrs. Emerson,	11.00	$118.56
L. H. Bennett,		
Care of C. A. Sanderson,		208.25
Cisro Weed,		
Care of Chester Weed,		11.16
J. W. Ruick,		
Time spent on T. Dooley,		5.00
G. B. Smith,		
Care of James Quinn,		3.00
J. B. Hayes & Son,		
Burial of T. Dooley,		20.00
R. B. Chatfield,		
Medical attendance Polander,	1.25	
" " R. Sanford,	2.00	
" " F. Besan,	2.00	
" " Chester Weed,	12.50	
" " T. Dooley,	2.00	
" " E. Pettibone,	.75	
" " Ed. Griffin,	25.00	
" " Niles M. Clark,	7.00	52.50
C. L. Humphrey,		
Keeping tramps,		3.00
Edward Shannon,		
Keeping tramps,		2.00
Connecticut Hospital,		
Care of F. Phelps,	1.14	
" B. H. Dean,	20.85	21.99
Hartford Hospital,		
Care of E. C. Griffin,		20.57
Loomis Bros. Co.,		
Supplies furnished E. Pettibone,	18.70	
" C. A. Sanderson,	3.25	
" Niles M. Clark,	20.69	42.64

W. R. Munson,		
Care and taking F. Phelps to Middletown,	$10.11	
Medical attendance at Mrs. Emerson,	1.50	11.61
Total.		$520.28

INCIDENTALS.

L. L. Korn, making voters,		$ 2.00
H. M. Hayes, caucus list,	$2.00	
Making list,	2.00	
Making voters,	2.00	
October election,	2.00	
H. K. Hayes,	1.50	
R. J. Hayes,	1.50	
M. H. Griffin,	1.50	
M. C. Griffin,	1.50	
Stanley W. Edwards,	1.50	15.50
Nathaniel Holcomb, two caucus lists,	4.00	
List to be made,	2.00	
Check list,	1.00	
Election day,	2.00	
D. C. Wilcox,	1.50	
M. D. Wilcox,	1.50	
Wm. Shattuck,	1.50	
Making voters,	2.00	15.50
J. W. Ruick, Hartford for Town Reports,	3.50	
Express on " "	.40	3.90
Man and team, carting stone ½ day,		2.00
Mrs. Mary Day, loam,		1.90
F. L. Spring, appraising school property,		6.00
Milo D. Wilcox, services as auditor,		2.00
James L. Loomis, services as auditor,		2.00
J. W. Ruick, team carting,		2.00
George Newton, appraising school property,		6.00
Hartford Times, advertising notice,		1.44
J. W. Clark, team to East Granby,		3.00
J. W. Ruick, to Hartford and ex.,	3.50	
½ day to East Granby,	1.25	
Man and team to East Granby,	3.00	7.75
L. L. Ensworth & Son, tin for railing,		12.30
Mrs. L. E. Rice, interest on order,		13.00
A. B. Wells, treasurer, (C. L. F.), interest on order,		18.00
J. W. Ruick, time spent on B. H. Dean,	1.25	
Paid D. F. Newton, cartage,	.25	
" for tin,	.40	1.90
L. H. Bennett, care of Town Hall,		2.00
James S. Johnson, setting up and taking down booths		1.25

Wesley N. Clark, assessing,	$25.00	
Postage and stationery,	1.27	
To Hartford,	1.00	
Express,	.25	27.52
Hartford Printing Co, 250 Town Reports,	43.50	
550 tax lists,	4.45	
600 post cards,	7.75	
School order book,	5.75	61.45
J. R. Hayes, Fifth school district debt,		340.60
Ned E. Kendall, commitment of B. H. Dean,		7.00
R. L. Forsyth, one pole for scraper,	1.25	
One load wood, district No. 1,	.50	1.75
H. O. Averhill, 175 dog tags,		8.75
Mrs. Emroy Wilcox, interest on order,		12.00
Charles Allshouse, expenses on B. H. Dean,		24.50
J. W. Ruick, opening grave for T. Dooley,		4.00
F. E. Rice, services as fire warden,		4.50
A. B. Wells, treasurer, (C. L. F.), interest on orders,		152.50
J. W. Ruick, to Hartford and ex.,	3.50	
Time spent on F. messenger,	3.50	7.00
C. M. Beman, assessing,		25.00
George F. Clark, assessing,		25.00
Granby Cemetery Asso. interest on orders,		120.00
Mary Wells, money borrowed,		400.00
A. J. Weed, examining B. H. Dean,	2.00	
Return of births and deaths, 1904 to 1910,	10.00	12.00
R. B. Chatfield, paid Dem. town tickets,	2.00	
Return of births and deaths,	6.00	
Examining B. H. Dean,	1.25	9.25
J. B. Ruick, Hartford Hospital with E. C. Griffin,	4.00	
Making enrollment list,	3.00	7.00
Mrs. Emma Huggins, interest on order,		20.00
Mrs. Anna E. Weed, interest on order,		20.00
Geo. O. Beach, gravel and loam,		13.80
J. W. Ruick, Hartford Hospital,		3.50
George V. Avery, work on town building,		2.30
J. W. Ruick, Hartford, see commissioner,	3.50	
Rainbow for road team,	3.50	
Drawing stone and ties for bridge,	2.50	9.50
F. E. Cleveland Co., tax book,	1.25	
Four doz. dog posters,	1.25	
Postage,	.28	2.78
United Construction Co., scraper blade,		8.00
L. H. Bennett, care of town hall,		2.00
W. N. Clark, making abstract,	10.00	
Hartford and ex.,	3.00	
Postage and stationery,	.95	13.95

F. J. Guy, storage,		$ 5.00
E. B. Case, services board of health,		17.10
Evening Post, advertising notice,		2.25
Clarabel Viets, making out tax book,		10.00
J. W. Ruick, paid Mrs. Monahan keeping lantern,	1.00	
Express on scraper repairs,	.70	
Freight on culvert pipe,	2.08	
Drawing pipe,	1.00	
½ day North Granby on fire,	1.25	
One book,	.70	6.73
Wm. P. Morris, error on tax,		1.10
F. E. Rice, forest fires,		4.40
Elmer Lampson, error on tax,		1.70
J. W. Ruick, expenses on Niles M. Clark,		12.00
F. A. Green and D. P. Cooley, appraising damage done by deer,		2.50
J. W. Ruick, team drawing stone,	3.25	
Paid for stone hammer,	1.50	4.75
H. W. Viets, services as Board Relief,		15.00
E. P. Rice, services Board Relief,		15.00
M. H. Griffin, services Board Relief,	15.00	
Advertising,	4.00	19.00
Stanley W. Edwards, Memorial Day,		20.00
New England Metal Culvert Co., culverts,		80.46
F. E. Rice, services as Fire Warden,		8.00
O. D. Case, loam,		1.90
A. W. Carter, repairs for scraper,		11.50
A. Clark, flag pole and rope, district No. 2,		2.50
J. W. Ruick, Hartford for surveyor,		3.50
R. B. Holcomb, stone, loam, keeping lantern,		2.50
L. R. Griffin, gravel and loam,		6.25
Hartford Printing Co., one abstract book,		4.65
F. A. Green, carrying surveyors,		3.00
Ned E. Ruick, 1 day surveying,		1.75
J. W. Ruick, surveying,	2.50	
Freight on tubes,	3.00	
Drawing tubes,	2.63	
Paid M. R. Case, sawing stakes,	1.50	
" freight on bridge bolts, carting,	1.00	
Hartford to see Commissioner,	3.50	14.13
Charles Allshouse, carting stone from station,		5.00
J. W. Ruick, carting stone from station,		6.75
Charles Coffey, appraising property,		50.00
Evening Post, adv. notice,		2.50
Berlin Construction Co., bolts and washers,		14.35
Charles Allshouse, care and custody of Ray Minard,		14.00

Maltbie & Maltbie, paid Lucius Hart, Mary Hart, Jason Hart, bridge damage,		$400.00
F. M. Parmelee, repairs,		1.65
C. D. Griffin, one day making voters,		2.00
E. H. Shattuck, services as town clerk,		41.85
Loomis Bros. Co., supplies for town,		41.03
H. G. Viets, part payment on Bond 1909,		75.00
Ned E. Kendall, appraising property,	50.00	
Probate fees on F. Phelps,	6.50	56.50
J. W. Ruick, salary,	100.00	
Telephone,	5.20	
Postage,	3.50	
Return of burials,	6.00	
Express on scraper repairs,	.45	115.15
Ray Hayes, carting stone,		6.00
A. B. Wells, services as town treasurer,		75.00
		$2,648.54

ABATEMENTS, LIST 1907.

George Gorman, gone,	$ 2.00
Interest on same,	.42
	$2.42

ABATEMENTS, LIST 1908.

C. H. Case, exempt,	$ 2.00
Wareham Clark, error,	2.58
William Carter, gone,	2.00
Clinton Clark, error,	2.00
Charles Griffin, error,	2.00
George Gorman, gone,	2.00
Albert Hunt, error,	.22
Edward C. Hayes, error,	12.04
Frank Harrington, gone,	2.00
Bert Horton, error,	1.00
Rufus Jasmine, error,	2.00
James Legeyt, error,	5.53
Bert Parker, minor,	2.00
Robert Peterson, error,	2.00
Miles Rogers Estate, error,	7.66
W. H. Sheeley, gone,	6.89
E. H. Shattuck, exempt,	2.00
Henry Taft, exempt,	1.00
Louis Thipodore, minor,	2.00
L. Benton, error,	2.00
Arthur Weed, exempt,	2.00
	$62.42
Interest on same,	7.49
	$69.91

Treasurer's Report.

1909.		Dr.	
Oct.	5.	To funds in Treasury,	$1,884.67
		" cash from J. W. Ruick for hall rent,	7.00
		" " " by C. B. Fox,	2.14
		" supervision of common schools,	300.00
	6.	" cash from State public roads,	278.00
	14.	" transportation for children to High School,	106.00
		" tuition for High School students,	352.69
	16.	" cash from treasurer Fourth School District,	7.81
		" " S. W. Edwards for fines,	75.00
	20.	" " State for average attendance,	1,796.43
	28.	" " S. W. Edwards for fines,	12.50
	30.	" unexpended balance of dog license money,	147.40
Nov.	20.	" cash from S. W. Edwards for fines,	150.00
Dec.	9.	" " " "	50.00
1910.			
Jan.	8.	To cash from State for public roads,	41.25
	13.	" " clerk of Superior Court,	36.98
	26.	" borrowed money of Mary R. Wells,	400.00
Mar.	5.	" State appropriation for common schools,	603.00
Apr.	18.	" cash from A. B. Wells for justice fines,	21.00
	19.	" " clerk of Superior Court,	58.22
	20.	" cash for taxes on corporations,	239.11
	21.	" " A. B. Wells for fine,	1.00
June	6.	" " from H. G. Viets for tax not on tax bill,	2.00
July	6.	" " " " " "	33.66
	19.	" " " William M. Maltbie, Secretary Town Board of Schools,	32.44
	23.	To cash from State for forest fires,	6.60
Aug.	8.	" " " County "	6.60
	18.	" " for tuition High School Scholars,	301.62
		" " " transportation of High School scholars,	90.75
Sept.	7.	" average attendance from State,	2,035.39
	17.	" rent for use of Town Hall,	14.00
	24.	" cash from H. G. Viets on bond of 1907,	24.07
		" interest paid on same,	4.10
		" cash from H. G. Viets on bonds of 1908,	27.35
		" interest paid on same,	4.22

	To cash from H. G. Viets on bond of 1909,	$2,600.03
	" interest paid on same,	199.03
	" cash from H. G. Viets on bond of 1910,	5,251.81
	" interest paid on same,	5.76
	" cash from H. G. Viets for three tax liens,	2.25
	Total,	$17,211.88

1909.	Cr.	
Nov. 8.	By cash paid for State tax,	$302.50
	" " " military commutation taxes,	331.20
20.	" " " three justice certificates of costs covering the three raids made by State Police,	101.45
1910.		
Jan. 21.	By cash for Town Order No. 31, Oct. 21, 1905,	325.00
	" " interest due on same,	3.25
Apr. 2.	" " justice fees to S. W. Edwards,	13.20
21.	" " officers fees to Charles Allshouse,	42.24
Aug. 17.	" " " N. M. Wright,	10.00
29.	" " justice orders by S. W. Edwards,	8.46
24.	" " Town Order No. 104, Jan. 26, 1910,	400.00
	" " interest paid on same,	11.66
Sept. 24.	" " new orders paid,	5,943.68
	" " interest paid on same,	5.48
	" " old town orders paid,	135.50
	" " town school orders paid,	5,135.21
	" " balance,	4,443.05
	Total,	$17,211.88

TREASURER OF DOG LICENSE FUND.

1909.	Dr.	
Oct. 4.	To funds for dog license,	$41.94
1910.		
June 10.	To dog license from Town Clerk,	140.89
	" cash from Town Clerk for 160 dog license tags,	8.00
	Total,	$190.83

1909.	Cr.	
Dec. 13.	By cash to H. O. Averill for 175 dog license tags,	$8.75
1910.		
June 10.	" " paid State Treasurer for dog license,	138.85
	" " to H. O. Averill for 160 dog license tags,	8.00
	" " unexpended balance,	35.23
	Total,	$190.83

TREASURER OF TOWN DEPOSIT FUND.

1909.		Dr.	
Oct. 6.	To Town Deposit Fund Order,	. . .	$4,935.42
1910.		Cr.	
Sept. 24.	By Town Deposit Fund Order,	. . .	4,935.42

THE FREDERICK H. COSSITT LIBRARY.

1909.				
Dec. 10.	Order No. 140, E. H. Shattuck,	. . .		$16.71
31.	" 141, Alma O. Carlson, librarian,		$25.00.	
	" " "	janitor,	7.50	
	" " "	expenses,	5.00	37.50
1910.				
Feb. 5.	" 142, E. H. Shattuck, magazines,		.	22.45
July 1.	" 143, Alma O. Carlson, librarian,		$25.00	
	" " "	janitor,	7.50	
	" " "	expenses,	5.00	37.50
	Total, ...			$114.16

A. B. WELLS, Treasurer, in account with the FREDERICK H. COSSITT LIBRARY AND FUND.

1909.	Dr.	
Oct. 4.	To funds in Treasury, ...	$9.81
	" Bank Book No. 225,999, Pratt street, . .	100.00
	" Town Order No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900, . .	300.00
	" " 94, Jan. 1, 1904, . .	500.00
	" " 29, Oct. 1, 1904, . .	400.00
	" " 78, Dec. 13, 1906, . .	2,500.00
	" interest, on Order No. 29, Oct. 1, 1904, . .	18.00
Dec. 1.	" " 60, Dec 1, 1900, . .	15.00
13.	" " 78, Dec. 1906, . .	112.50
1910.		
Jan. 1.	To interest on Order No. 94, Jan. 1, 1910, . .	25.00
		$3,980.31
1909.	Cr.	
Oct. 4.	By Library Order No. 136, ...	12.50
Dec. 1.	" " 137, ...	22.45
1910.		
Jan. 1.	By Library Order No. 138, ...	32.50
	" " 139, ...	5.00
	" " 140, ...	16.71
	" " 141, ...	37.50
Feb. 10.	" " 142, ...	22.45

Sept. 24.	By Bank Book No. 225,999, Pratt street,	$100.00
	" Town Order No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900,	300.00
	" " 94, Jan. 1, 1904,	500.00
	" " 29, Oct. 1, 1904,	400.00
	" " 78, Dec. 13, 1906,	2,500.00
	Cash balance,	31.20
	Total,	$3,980.31

ASSETS.

Balance due on bond of 1907,	$ 36.27
" 1908,	117.48
" 1909,	161.03
" 1910,	2,651.10
New orders unpaid,	40.50
Old order "	5.00
Fund in treasury,	4,543.55
Town tools,	250.00
Tile on hand,	25.00
Plank,	25.00
Interest due on bond of 1910,	79.07
	$7,934.00

LIABILITIES.

Town deposit fund order,	$ 4,935.42
Old orders unpaid:	
Order No. 36, Dec. 15, 1893, Emroy Wilcox,	300.00
" 33, Feb. 2, 1897, Mrs. A. J. Weed,	500.00
" 34, Feb. 2, 1897, Emma L. Huggins,	500.00
" 60, Dec. 1, 1900, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, treasurer,	300.00
" 18, Oct. 15, 1901, H. J. Dewey,	300.00
" 36, Nov. 18, 1901, "	1,000.00
" 94, Jan. 1, 1904, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, treasurer,	500.00
" 29, Oct. 1, 1904, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, treasurer,	400.00
" 125, Jan. 17, 1906, Granby Cemetery Ass'n.,	2,000.00
" 78, Dec. 13, 1906, Cossitt Library A. B. Wells, treasurer,	2,500.00
" 110, Jan. 1, 1908, Granby Cemetery Ass'n.	1,000.00
	$14,235.42

SUMMARY.

Highways,	$1,405.63
Bridges and Sluices,	315.19
Abatements, List 1907,	2.42
" " 1908,	69.91
Incidentals,	2,648.54
Town Poor,	520.28
Bushes,	84.50
Railing,	260.77
Water Tubs,	28.00
Snow Work,	151.83
Plank and Timber,	619.61
State Road, old,	278.00
	$6,384.68

J. W. RUICK,
L. L. KORN,
C. D. GRIFFIN, } *Selectmen.*

Report of the
Town School Committee
of the
TOWN OF GRANBY
For the Year Ending July 15, 1910.

I.

EXPENDITURES.

School No. 1.	Teacher's wages,	$666.00	
	Fuel,	38.32	
	Repairs,	17.42	
	Incidentals	7.18—	$ 728.92
School No. 2.	Teacher's wages,	333.00	
	Fuel,	25.50	
	Repairs,	50.48	
	Incidentals,	6.26—	415.24
School No. 3.	Teacher's wages,	259.00	
	Incidentals,	2.70	261.70
School No. 4.	Teacher's wages,	333.00	
	Fuel,	20.00	
	Repairs,	19.67	
	Incidentals,	5.75—	378.42
School No. 5.	Teacher's wages,	259.00	
	Fuel,	16.50	
	Incidentals,	3.97—	279.47
School No. 6.	Teacher's wages,	333.00	
	Fuel,	19.00	
	Repairs,	17.75	
	Incidentals,	5.80—	375.55
School No. 8.	Teacher's wages,	333.00	
	Fuel,	18.00	
	Incidentals,	13.36—	364.36
School No. 9.	Teacher's wages,	333.00	
	Fuel,	21.00	
	Repairs,	.75	
	Incidentals,	1.80—	356.55

School No. 10.	Teacher's wages, . .	$370.00	
	Fuel, ...	23.75	
	Incidentals, . . .	7.90—	$401.65
School No. 11.	Teacher's wages, , .	333.00	
	Fuel, ...	18.00	
	Repairs, . . .	17.63	
	Incidentals, . . .	6.25—	374.88
Special School.	Teacher's wages, . .	370.00	
	Fuel, ...	18.50	
	Incidentals, . . .	.30—	388.80
			$4,325.54
Town text books,.		$131.92	
Salary of Town Text Book agent, . . .		25.00	
Salary of secretary Town School Committee, .		16.67	
Postage, stationery, etc., ...		10.39	
Incidentals, general expenses, . . .		7.65	
High school tuition, ...		453.75	
High school transportation, ...		181.50	
Debt of Fifth School District assumed by town. (Paid by selectmen's order and included in their report,)		340.60—	5,493.02

NOTE. — One order for $18 included in above has not yet been presented to the treasurer; and on one order paid by him a rebate of $0.79 was later received and returned to him.

RECEIPTS.

Aver. attendance grant from State, (for year 1908-1909)		$1,796.43	
High School tuition, "	"	352.69	
" transportation, "	"	106.00	
Supervision, "	"	300.00	
Enumeration, "	1909-1910	603.00	
From other sources, ...		39.46	
Funds of Town necessary to balance, . .		2,295.44—	5,493.02

II.

The schools of the town have been administered the past year under the new law which vests control of them in a town school committee. The town has taken over the property of all the districts and has assumed the debts of all, except districts two and four. As the debts of these two districts were incurred several years ago, for repairs to their houses, and as the state of those houses was such as to require a considerable present outlay to put them in proper condition, it was felt to be unjust to put the burden of the old indebtedness upon the tax payers of the other districts and the town refused to assume it. Districts two and four continue, therefore, to exist so far as may be necessary for the discharge of their indebtedness, but, with this ex-

ception the school districts of the town are now practically abolished. The Town Committee has almost absolute power over school affairs. It hires teachers and fixes their salaries; it determines what repairs are to be made; it designates what schools children shall attend; and it pays all school expenses by orders drawn upon the town treasurer by its secretary; it is subject to control only by the State Board of Education through the power of that Board, in case its directions are disregarded, to withhold grants of state money. Your committee believes that the greater centralization of authority and flexibility of management resulting from this system will be of benefit to the schools, and has labored earnestly to bring about such a result.

Your committee this year has consisted of Lewis C. Spring, Luzerne C. Holcombe, Elbert M. Cushman, R. B. Chatfield, Charles F. Newton and William M. Maltbie. It organized by electing Mr. Spring, Chairman, and Mr. Maltbie, Secretary; and it has designated Dr. Chatfield as Town Text Book Agent.

A comparison of the expenses of the schools for this year with those of last will disclose an increase of about five hundred dollars in the amount of the salaries paid to the teachers. This is partly accounted for by the salary paid to the teacher of the school at the Town House, which was not maintained last year. There has, however, been an increase in the average amount paid and there will be a further increase the coming year. This is due to the fact that this town has been paying considerably less than a fair wage for the work done and less than the surrounding towns are paying; and the committee has felt that an attempt to maintain a standard which is unjust to the teachers and which, in connection with the remoteness of our schools from railways, can only result in increasing difficulty or even impossibility in securing proper teachers would be very poor economy.

The items for repairs now appear for the first time as an expense upon the town. These have hitherto been paid by the districts, and it should be noted that they do not therefore constitute a new charge upon the taxpayer, but only a different method of applying that charge. Your committee found the schools in districts two and four much out of repair and has expended, or must expend a considerable sum, to put them in proper condition; and various repairs were required in other districts. Your committee will endeavor to keep the school houses in a proper and sanitary condition without incurring any great expense for improvements, noting the tendency throughout the State to combine small schools and transfer the pupils into buildings which are larger and better and which will permit a more complete grading.

The expenses connected with the attendance of pupils at the Simbury High School are smaller, a doubtful gain in view of the desirability of encouraging the higher education gained there. The general expense of school management has increased, but it should be borne in mind that this represents rather a transfer of certain expenses from the old district committeemen or the selectmen's department to the school committee.

The number of children enumerated as of school age in October, 1909, was 268, a decrease of 1 from the year before, and the average attend-

ance was 198.46, an increase of 6.12, so that the receipts from state grants based on these figures remain approximately the same as last year.

It may not be out of place here to call attention to a law passed by the last legislature by virtue of which one pupil from this town may, on recommendation of your committee, be maintained by the State Board of Education in the Normal School at Willimantic. or at Danbury, receiving from the State a sum not exceeding $150 for living expenses, Your committee would be glad to know of any one desirous of taking advantage of this Act.

The report of Rev. J. B. McLean as school supervisor will be in the hands of the moderator at the annual town meeting, and afterwards, in those of the secretary of the school committee and may be examined by anyone. The following extracts are called to your particular attention.

"Teachers: Of the teachers employed during the year all but one held a state certificate. None were graduates of Normal Training Schools. Eight of the twelve were residents of Granby and four non-residents. Granby is fortunate in having some very excellent resident teachers who are willing to teach for salaries offered. It would be very difficult to find non-resident Normal teachers who would accept the compensation offered."

"*Suggestions for improvement:—*

First: More trained teachers. It is not easy to get them in the country schools. There are three prominent reasons why:— salary, social conditions and remoteness, and the fact that so many train for special grade rather than general work.

Second: Better equipment. This can be remedied by greater generosity on the part of the towns in providing reference books and supplementary reading.

Third: Redistricting and partial consolidation of the schools. In nearly all country towns it is perfectly practicable to unite several districts and establish three or four room schools instead of the large number of small district schools. This plan will involve no serious problem in the matter of transportation. It will make the work of the teachers much more efficient by making a better division of work possible. It will provide school houses built with some consideration of health, comfort and refinement of taste, and located so as to provide ample play grounds. Most of the country schools are very unfortunately situated in this respect, the towns having control of no land aside from that on which the school building stands, in some instances not enough for an outhouse."

The following pupils, having completed the work of the ninth grade, were granted certificates:

Helen Baytate, Howard M. Cushman,
Bertha J. Holcomb, Bertha Wilcox,
Ruth Anna Cowles.

The following statistics may be of interest:

District.	Teacher.	Enumeration.	No. Different Pupils Registered.	Average Attendance.
No. 1.	Miss Harriette E. Hayes,	70	17	15.82
	Miss Teresa Briggs,	..	47	34.21
No. 2.	Miss Carrie E. Ingram, 29 weeks,	28	37	21.44
	Miss Kate G. Davis, 8 weeks,	..	..	.....
No. 3.	Miss Lena Clark,	8	11	4.50
No. 4.	Miss Elsie J. Messenger,	41	28	21.
No. 5.	Mrs. Clara E. Miller,	7	8	5.56
No. 6.	Miss Annie E. Hayes,	20	16	10.17
No. 8.	Miss Maude Blakeman,	19	18	12.50
No. 9.	Miss Emma G. Griffin,	15	12	6.96
No. 10.	Mrs. Mira G. Clark,	44	34	29.22
No. 11.	Miss Edna G. Spring,	16	16	12.70
Special School,	Miss Gladys Moore,	..	22	18.86
		268	266	192.94

In determining the average attendance which is the basis of the grant of state money, the figure 192.94 above given is increased by adding the average attendance of the nine pupils who attended the Simsbury High School the whole year, and of the two who attended it a portion of the year, and is decreased by the deduction of time lost through tardiness, and of the attendance of four pupils from the town of East Granby, giving as a final result the figure 198.46

WILLIAM M. MALTBIE, *Secretary.*

GRANBY, September 20, 1910.

We, the undersigned, have examined and verified the above accounts and believe them to be correct.

MILO D. WILCOX,
JAMES LEE LOOMIS, } *Auditors.*

Report of the Health Officer.

To the Selectmen of the Town of Granby:

The following report is submitted:

The report on the general condition of the health of the town is good.

There has been no deaths from contagious disease.

There has been during the year two cases of Diphtheria in town, but in both instances there has been no new cases.

On the whole the town has been very healthy,

Yours respectfully, E. B. CASE.

GRANBY, September 27, 1910.

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SELECTMEN'S REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF GRANBY,

FROM

September 20, 1910, to September 15, 1911.

HIGHWAYS.

Old.

Augustus Clark,	$21.00
F. M. Colton,	8.13
Marcus Griffin,	4.50
F. J. Howard,	50.00
John Henchy,	5.00

New.

John Rowe,	161.00
Wallace Humphrey,	155.00
Chester Beman,	142.00
Charles Broughton,	152.45
F. M. Case,	797.50
O. H. Godard,	87.00
Augustus Clark,	40.66
Jacob Haug,	3.50
James Rutherford,	1.50
A. A. Stevens,	10.04
Wilbur Case,	5.00
Dolph Goddard,	9.63
Ned Ruick,	2.63
A. B. Kelsey,	1.00
J. F. Clarry,	1.75
Harry Day,	5.25
J. W. Clark,	5.95
H. E. and J. W. Godard,	5.00
E. M. Griffin,	1.80
Walter Holcomb,	1.20
O. E. Simonson,	4.00
Ollie C. Godard,	263.75
Total,	$1,946.74

BRIDGES AND SLUICES.

Old.

Augustus Clark,	$3.00	
Jacob Haug,	11.07	
A. H. Gillette,	20.00	
New.		
Wallace Humphrey,	47.00	
John Rowe,	59.00	
Augustus Clark,	28.71	
J. W. Ruick,	24.18	
Tony Alixson,	.50	
Wilbur Case,	5.00	
Harry Day,	5.50	
Frank Ruick,	3.67	
Ed. Bowen,	19.00	
Berlin Construction Co.,	16.56	
Lewis Johnson,	1.00	
A. H. Gillette,	45.00	
O. H. Godard,	10.00	
Chester Beman,	2.00	
A. B. Kelsey,	10.95	
Charles Broughton,	6.00	
A. B. Wells,	3.00	
Howard Holcomb,	1.25	
Walter Holcomb,	5.80	
Ollie C. Godard,	58.75	
Total,		$386.94

TIMBER AND PLANK.

Old.

Hayes & Barnes,	$26.40	
F. B. Lockwood,	40.90	
Augustus Clark,	25.00	
New.		
F. B. Lockwood,	273.82	
A. B. Wells,	4.40	
Philip Smart,	34.00	
Adam Alezahkas,	4.25	
Total,		$408.77

BUSHES.

Edw. Johnson,	$2.10	
John Rowe,	12.50	
Charles Broughton,	6.00	
Total,		$20.60

SNOW WORK.

Old.

D. F. Newton,		5.20

WATER TUBS.

F. A. Green, 1910,	$3.00	
Walter B. Holcomb, 1910,	3.00	
Alfred Jasmine, 1910,	3.00	
Geo. O. Beach, 1910,	3.00	
Geo. Peck, 1910,	3.00	
F. B. Case, 1910,	3.00	
Frank Stultz, 1910,	3.00	
F. A. Green, to July 1, 1911,	6.00	
Total,		$27.00

STATE ROAD.

Charles Allshouse,	$12.50	
Wallace Humphrey,	37.00	
F. M. Case,	190.00	
Chester Beman,	38.00	
Charles Broughton,	38.00	
John Rowe,	38.00	
A. A. Stevens,	13.32	
Wilbur Case,	30.00	
A. Clark,	21.00	
Harry Day,	2.00	
J. W. Ruick,	7.88	
Ollie C. Godard,	47.50	
Total,		$475.20

FIRES.

F. E. Rice, Fire Warden,		304.30

HUNGARY ROAD AND BRIDGE.

John Rowe,	$52.00	
Wallace Humphrey,	40.00	
O. H. Godard,	142.50	
O. H. Godard, team for Ketchin,	25.00	
W. M. Ketchin,	925.00	
Eastern Bridge & Structural Co.,	800.00	
Jacob Haug,	9.17	
Geo. O. Wilcox,	5.62	
Ralph Clark,	5.00	
Dolph Goddard,	1.75	
A. B. Kelsey,	2.25	
Ollie C. Godard,	42.50	
Total,		$2,050.79

TOWN POOR.

Conn. Hospital for Insane, care of B. F. Dean,	$78.57	
" " " Florence Phelps,	104.29	
Hartford Retreat, care of Joseph Gunther,	94.68	
Hartford Hospital, care of Frank Messenger,	57.43	
L. H. Bennett, care of E. Sanderson,	183.78	
N. E. Kendall, probate expenses of B. H. Dean,	6.00	
" " Joe Gunther,	6.35	
" " Cora Dean,	6.35	
Harry Day, services on B. H. Dean,	3.00	
N. M. Wright, services on B. H. Dean,	4.00	
Dr. N. R. Munson, services on Frank Messenger,	7.50	
Tariffville Mfg. Co., rent for Mrs. Emerson (old),	67.00	
A. M. H. Boothe, repairing shoes for E. Petibone (old),	1.00	
Dr. R. B. Chatfield, services on Harts,	4.00	
" " F. Messenger,	2.50	
" " E. Sanderson,	1.50	
" " F. J. Clarry,	11.25	
" " Tramp,	.75	
Dr. A. J. Weed, examining Joe Gunther,	1.50	
Charles Allshouse, care of Joe Gunther,	27.00	
" trip to Hartford,	3.35	
N. M. Wright, services on Joe Gunther,	2.00	
Dr. M. Griswold, transportation of Joe Gunther,	6.00	
Ollie C. Godard, car and team for Ben Dean,	10.00	
" expenses on "	5.00	
J. R. Hayes & Son, burial of E. Sanderson,	30.00	
J. W. Ruick, opening grave for E. Sanderson,	5.00	
Rev. Magee Pratt, funeral of E. Sanderson,	2.00	
Loomis Bros. Co., supplies for E. Sanderson,	1.45	
" " E. Petibone,	24.75	
Ollie C. Godard, carrying minister to E. Sanderson's funeral,	1.25	
" carrying E. Sanderson to hospital,	2.50	
" " Joe Gunther to Middletown,	2.50	
" expenses, cash,	1.88	
" carrying Joe Gunther to Hartford Retreat,	2.50	
" expenses, cash,	3.65	
Total,		$772.28

INCIDENTALS.

Old.

H. M. Hayes, registrar,	$2.00
Making voters,	2.00

Receiving names of electors,	$2.00	
Inserting notice in paper,	1.50	
Registering names August 5th,	2.00	
" " 12th,	2.00	
M. H. Griffin, boxtender,	1.50	
M. C. Griffin, constable,	1.50	
R. J. Hayes, boothtender,	1.50	$16.00
L. H. Bennett, care of Town Hall,		4.50
Mrs. E. M. Crandle, stone,		1.80
L. C. Spring, appraising town property,		50.00
N. E. Metal Culvert Co.,		69.96
L. W. Burt, surveying on Hungary road,		120.50
Dr. C. M. Wooster, certificates 1906–1910,		2.75
Clara B. Viets, making reassessment blanks,		5.00
Maltbie & Maltbie, legal services,		385.85
F. J. Devnew, blacksmithing,		12.75

New.

Nathaniel Holcomb, caucus registration,	4.00	
Making list,	2.00	
" voters,	2.00	8.00
F. A. Green, carrying surveyors,		2.00
M. D. Wilcox, auditing town accounts,		2.00
J. L. Loomis, " "		2.00
A. W. Carter, repairs for scraper,		2.75
J. W. Ruick, making voters,		2.50
To Hartford for town reports,		3.50
Express on "		.35
A. H. Gillette, fixing ballot boxes,		.75
Mrs. Estelle T. Rice, renewal of old order No. 56, to Milo D. Wilcox,		300.00
F. E. Rice, interest on old order No. 56,		22.00
Marcus Griffin, hanging lantern,		.50
Gilbert Smith, hanging lantern,		2.00
A. B. Wells, hanging lantern,		.60
Henry G. Viets, balance due on 1907 bond,		89.67
W. N. Clark, assessor,	25.00	
Expenses to Hartford,	3.50	
Express on blanks,	.25	
Stamps,	1.65	
Express on abstract,	.25	
Envelopes,	.50	31.15
H. M. Hayes, making list,	2.00	
Floyd Reed, deputy,	2.00	
Making voters,	2.00	
Revising list,	2.00	

Hearing appeal,	$1.00	
Making check list election day,	1.00	
H. M. Hayes,	2.00	
Wm. Maltbie, moderator,	1.50	
Wm. Messenger, boothtender,	1.50	
Ray Hayes,	1.50	
M. Griffin, boxtender,	1.50	$18.00
J. S. Johnson, putting up booths, etc.,		2.75
Secretary of State, 426 official and 107 sample ballots,		13.10
A. B. Kelsey, making voters,		4.00
Ollie C. Godard, loan to town,		500.00
" borrowed for town of Hartford Trust Co.,		1,000.00
C. M. Beman, assessor,		25.00
Nathaniel Holcomb, writing check list,	1.00	
Election day, October,	2.00	
Stanley Edwards, moderator,	1.50	
D. C. Wilcox, boxtender,	1.50	
Wm. Shattuck, ballot clerk,	1.50	
Fred Rice, making list,	2.00	
" " voters,	2.00	
½ day hearing appeals,	1.00	
Making voters,	2.00	
Revising list,	2.00	
Election day, November,	2.00	
D. C. Wilcox, boxtender,	1.50	
Milo Wilcox, ballot clerk,	1.50	
Henry Godard, constable,	1.50	23.00
Albert Stevens, work on Town Hall,	1.50	
Powder and fuse,	.56	2.06
Dr. W. R. Munson, quarantining and fumigating,		5.00
Stanley W. Edwards, interest on order,		120.00
Evening Post Ass'n, advertising and legal notices,		5.00
Geo. F. Clark, assessor,		25.00
Emma L. Huggins, interest on order,		20.00
Anna E. Weed, interest on order,		20.00
Geo. S. Godard, personal tax book and postage,		1.40
E. F. Boyce, shafts on Mr. Sherman's wagon,		4.00
Dr. W. R. Munson, quarantining and fumigating,		9.75
F. J. Guy, storage of scrapers,		6.00
Hartford Printing Co., 500 revaluation blanks,	6.50	
50 caucus lists, democrat,	1.75	
50 " republican,	5.00	
250 postals and printing,	4.00	
650 tax lists,	5.15	
250 Annual Reports,	43.50	
10 sheet abstract book,	2.70	

Collectors book,	$1.25	
500 enrollment cards and postage,	2.19	$72.04
W. N. Clark, making abstract,	15.00	
Board of Relief,	10.00	25.00
F. B. Lockwood, Board of Relief,	15.00	
Advertising meetings,	1.50	16.50
Case, Lockwood & Brainard, 12 dog posters,		1.90
E. P. Rice, Board of Relief,		15.00
Stanley W. Edwards, Memorial Day,		20.00
R. B. Chatfield, birth and death returns,		4.00
H. W. Viets, Board of Relief,		15.00
L. H. Bennett, care of Town Hall,		4.75
E. M. Griffin, dynamite, etc.,		18.35
E. F. Boyce, blacksmithing,		1.75
A. W. Carter, 2 N. M. edges,	16.00	
2 sets bolts,	1.00	17.00
Clara B. Viets, tax book,		10.00
Geo. O. Wilcox, dynamite, etc.,		8.24
F. J. Devnew, blacksmithing,		6.15
Geo. O. Wilcox, dynamite, etc.,		4.65
Ralza Barnard, renewal of old order No. 146,		5.00
Bristol Press Pub. Co., Registrar's notice,		1.50
F. M. Parmelee, blacksmithing,		5.30
T. M. Shaw, blacksmithing,		7.30
Treasurer of Hartford County, county tax,		158.29
Geo. O. Wilcox, dynamite, etc.,		19.50
Chas. Allshouse, expenses on Cora Dean,		18.60
Ollie C. Godard, 3 days at Town Hall,	7.50	
To Hartford to see commissioner,	2.50	
To Granby Street, making voters,	1.25	
Telephone,	.95	12.20
Ollie Godard, to Hartford to see commissioner,		2.50
J. W. Ruick, return of burials,		6.00
E. M. Griffin, dynamite, etc.,		18.86
Walter Holcomb, services as Selectman,	14.50	
Tile,	2.50	17.00
The Hartford Printing Co., caucus lists,		7.36
The Loomis Bros. Co., town supplies,		127.58
E. H. Shattuck, Town Clerk,		51.85
Henry G. Viets, collecting on 1908 bond,	80.97	
" " 1909 "	82.46	
" " 1910 "	86.30	
" " 1911 "	100.00	349.73
A. B. Wells, Town ~~Clerk,~~ Treas.		75.00
Ollie C. Godard, to Southwick to see about hiring town teams,	2.50	

To Rainbow to hire F. M. Case's teams, . .	2.50	
2 days to commissioner's office, Hartford, . .	5.00	
2 days with surveyors from commissioner's office, .	5.00	
1 day with Mr. O'Brien from commissioner's office,	2.50	
2 days with Mr. Porter from commissioner's office,	5.00	
½ day at A. B. Wells' about taxes, . . .	1.25	
Taking personal tax, making tax book, and filling out cards, ...	25.00	
Salary, ...	100.00	
Telephone, ...	6.00	
Postage, ...	4.00	158.75
Total, ...		$4,225.49
A. B. Wells, Treasurer Cossitt Library Fund, interest on order 29, ...	18.00	
Treasurer Cossitt Library Fund, interest on orders 60, 94, 78, ...	152.50	170.50

ABATEMENTS.

O. H. Godard, abatement 1906–7–8–9 and settlement, .	$108.56	
V. E. Barnes and wife, 1908–9, . . .	35.60	
1909.		
Lyal Broughton, error, ...	2.00	
Clint Clark, "	2.00	
Sam Goldberg, "	2.55	
John Hart, exempt, ...	2.00	
Wm. Holcomb, exempt, ...	2.00	
Alfred Madigan, error, ...	2.00	
Ellen Messenger, pensioner, ...	.26	
Edw. L. Morgan, error, ...	2.00	
Henry Teft, exempt, ...	1.00	
Arthur Weed, "	2.00	
Horace Brooks, error, ...	1.94	
David Griffin estate, error, ...	2.04	
Miles Rogers estate, "	1.00	
Clarence Stillman, "	2.00	
A. M. Rogers, "	1.00	
Frank Barnes, "	1.70	
Lewis C. Case, "	2.00	
Ernest S. Frazier, gone, ...	2.00	
Interest, ...	3.76	
1911.		
J. W. Colton, personal tax, ...	2.00	
Henry Hayden, "	2.00	
Marshal Griffin, ...	2.00	
Total, ...		$185.41

TREASURER'S REPORT.

1910		Dr.	
Oct.	3.	To funds in treasury,	$1,443.05
	4.	Cash from J. W. Ruic, for hall rent,	7.50
	5.	" H. G. Viets, for tax, not tax list,	12.75
		Interest on same,	.38
Dec.	17.	Borrowed money of O. C. Goddard,	500.00
		Cash from clerk of superior court,	15.19
	28.	" borrowed from Hartford Trust Co.,	1,000.00
1911			
Mar.	4.	Cash from State appropriation,	652.50
	10.	" O. C. Godard, for hall rent,	5.00
Apr.	18.	Corporation taxes from State,	305.29
May	20.	Cash from State for fox bounties,	40.00
June	6.	From H. G. Viets, balance due from bond of 1907,	36.27
	6.	Interest due on same,	10.90
	6.	Cash from H. G. Viets, balance due from bond of 1908,	117.48
	6.	Interest due on same,	25.89
	6.	Cash from H. G. Viets, balance due on bond of 1909,	161.03
	6.	Interest due on same,	13.84
	24.	Cash from State Comptroller, forest fires,	75.06
July	15.	" Wm. M. Maltbie, schools,	106.02
Aug.	26.	" F. E. Rice, Fire Warden,	10.00
Sept.	1.	" State for dog license funds,	136.31
	15.	" O. C. Godard, hall rent,	2.50
	16.	" H. G. Viets, balance due on bond of 1910,	2,651.10
	16.	Interest paid on same,	197.81
	16.	Cash from H. G. Viets, on bond of 1911,	7,118.57
	16.	Interest paid on same,	5.04
		Total,	$17,649.48
1910		Cr.	
Nov.	9.	By cash for State tax,	$316.59
	9.	" military commutation tax,	300.00
Dec.	29.	" to N. M. Wright, officers fees in two cases, C. G. Cameron and D. Winters,	23.75
Nov.	22.	C. A. Pierce, Jr., justice fees,	5.60
	22.	Wm. M. Maltbie, juror fees,	2.06
	22.	S. W. Edwards, justice fees,	.85
	22.	N. M. Wright, officers fees,	2.25

1911			
Jan.	18.	Cash to J. W. Ruic, for State police bill,	$ 6.75
May	20.	" paid for fox bounties,	40.00
Sept.	1.	" to C. A. Pierce, justice fees,	7.50
	16.	" S. W. Edwards, for court fees,	3.95
	16.	" Chas. Allshouse, officer fees,	11.64
	16.	" N. W. Wright, officer fees,	20.23
	16.	Wm. M. Maltbie, grand juror,	4.12
	16.	A. B. Wells, court fee,	2.00
	16.	Old order paid,	45.50
	16.	New Town orders paid,	10,972.41
	16.	Interest paid on same,	37.50
	16.	Town school orders paid,	5,175.35
	16.	Cash to balance,	1,071.43
		Total,	$17,649.48

TREASURFR OF DOG LICENSE FUND.

1910		Dr.	
Oct.	3.	To unexpended balance,	$35.23
1911			
June	10.	Dog license fees from Town Clerk,	156.77
	10.	" tags,	8.00
		Total,	$200.00
1911		Cr.	
Jan.	21.	By cash to Chas. Allshouse, Dog Warden, for killing 2 dogs,	$6.00
June	3.	Dog Warden, killing 1 dog,	3.00
	10.	160 dog license tags, to H. O. Averill,	8.00
	10.	Cash to State Treasurer for dog licenses,	152.80
Sept.	16.	Unexpended balance,	30.20
		Total,	$200.00

A. B. WELLS, Treasurer, in account with the FREDERICK H. COSSITT LIBRARY.

1910		Dr.	
Oct.	4.	To funds in Treasury,	$31.20
	4.	To Bank Book 225,999,	100.00
	4.	To Town Order No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900,	300.00
	4.	To Town Order No. 94, Jan. 1, 1904,	500.00
	4.	To Town Order No. 29, Oct. 1, 1904,	400.00
	4.	To Town Order No. 78, Dec. 13, 1906,	2,500.00
	12.	Interest on Order No. 29, Oct. 1, 1904,	18.00
1911			
Mar.	10.	Interest on Order No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900,	15.00
	10.	Interest on Order No. 78, Dec. 13, 1906,	112.50
	10.	Interest on Order No. 94, Jan. 1, 1904,	25.00
Sept.	5.	3 year interest on Bank Book 225,999,	12.00
		Total,	$4,013.70
1910		Cr.	
Oct.	12.	By Library Order No. 143,	$37.50
1911			
Mar.	10.	By Library Order No. 144,	20.08
	10.	By Library Order No. 145,	32.50
	10.	By Library Order No. 146,	23.80
July	19.	By Library Order No. 147,	6.90
	4.	By Library Order No. 148,	19.97
	13.	By Library Order No. 149,	32.50
Sept.	5.	By Library Order No. 150,	37.50
	16.	By Bank Book No. 225,999,	100.00
	16.	By Town Order No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900,	300.00
	16.	By Town Order No. 94, Jan. 1, 1904,	500.00
	16.	By Town Order No. 29, Oct. 1, 1904,	400.00
	16.	By Town Order No. 78, Dec. 13, 1906,	2,500.00
		Cash to balance,	2.95
		Total,	$4,013.70

EXPENSES OF THE FRED. H. COSSITT LIBRARY.

1910			
Nov.	21.	Order No. 144, E. H. Shattuck, magazines,	$20.08
1911			
Jan.	13.	Order No. 145, Alma O. Carlson, librarian and janitor,	32.50
Feb.	16.	Order No. 146, E. H. Shattuck, magazines,	23.80
May	17.	Order No. 147, Clark & Smith, 1,000 library cards,	6.90

July	3.	Order No. 148, Conn. Pub. Library Committee, books,	$19.97
	3.	Order No. 149, Alma O. Carlson, librarian and janitor,	32.50
Aug.	16.	Order No. 151, F. F. Small, insurance. . .	37.50
Sept.	13.	Order No. 150, Library Bureau, card case, . .	30.00
		Total, ...	$203.25

AGENT TOWN DEPOSIT FUND.

1911		Dr.	
Sept.	16.	To Town Deposit Fund Order, . . .	$4,935.42
1911		Cr.	
Sept.	16.	By Town Deposit Fund Order, . . .	4,935.42

We, the undersigned, have examined and verified the above accounts, and believe them to be correct.

September 18, 1911.

MILO D. WILCOX,
JAMES LEE LOOMIS, } *Auditors.*

ASSETS.

Balance due on bond of 1911,	$3,024.34
Fund in treasury,	1,071.43
Town tools,	50.00
Tile on hand,	75.00
Plank,	35.00
Interest due on bond of 1911,	91.85
Total,	$4,347.62

LIABILITIES.

Town deposit fund order,	$4,935.42
Old orders unpaid:	
Order No. 33, Feb. 2, 1897, Mrs. A. J. Weed,	500.00
" 34, Feb. 2, 1897, Emma L. Huggins,	500.00
" 60, Dec. 1, 1900, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, treasurer,	300.00
" 18, Oct. 15, 1901, H. J. Dewey,	300.00
" 36, Nov. 18, 1901, "	1,000.00
" 94, Jan. 1, 1904, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, treasurer,	500.00
" 29, Oct. 1, 1904, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, treasurer,	400.00
" 125, Jan. 17, 1906, Granby Cemetery Ass'n,	2,000.00
" 78, Dec. 13, 1906, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, treasurer,	2,500.00
" 110, Jan. 1, 1908, Granby Cemetery Ass'n,	1,000.00
" 10 Oct. 15, 1910, Estella T. Rice,	300.00
Total,	$14,235.42

SUMMARY.

Highway,	$1,946.74
Bridges and Sluices,	386.94
Lumber and Plank,	408.77
Bushes,	20.60
Snow,	5.20
Water Tubs,	27.00
State Road,	475.20
Fires,	304.30
Hungary Road,	2,050.79
Town Poor,	772.28
Incidentals,	4,225.49
Two Library orders,	170.50
Abatements,	185.41
Total,	$10,979.22

OLLIE C. GODARD,
ARCHIE B. KELSEY,
WALTER B. HOLCOMB, } *Selectmen.*

Report of the

TOWN SCHOOL COMMITTEE

for the Year ending July 15, 1911.

SCHOOL.	Teachers' Wages.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Incidentals	Total.
No. 1, ...	$740.00	$50.27	$ .50	$13.50	$804.27
" 2, ...	370.00	31.75	38.54	15.45	455.74
" 3, ...	259.00	20.00	.64	.95	280.59
" 4, ...	333.00	16.88	15.36	1.10	366.34
" 5, ...	259.00	16.50	....	.45	275.95
" 6, ...	333.00	18.00	18.50	....	369.50
" 8, ...	370.00	19.56	16.58	3.25	409.39
" 9, ...	333.00	19.75	.50	4.40	357.65
" 10, ...	370.00	23.00	2.05	3.95	399.00
" 11, ...	333.00	18.00	...	....	351.00
Special, ...	370.00	41.87	1.34	4.80	418.01
Total, ...	$4,070.00	$275.58	$94.01	$47.85	$4,487.44

EXPENDITURES.

Current expenses as above, ...	$4,487.44
Text-books, ...	107.27
High School tuition, ...	335.00
" transportation, ...	111.50
Salary, Town Text-book Agent, ...	25.00
" Secretary Town School Committee, . . .	25.00
Expenses " " " . . .	13.44
Enumerating children, Districts 2, 4 and 6, . . .	4.45
Books, Maps, etc., Schools 2 and 8, ...	50.00
Total, ...	$5,159.10

RECEIPTS.

High School Tuition Grant from State, 1909–1910,	$301.62
" Transportation Grant from State, 1909–1910,	90.75
Average Attendance " " "	2,035.39
Enumeration " " 1910–1911,	652.50
State Library " "	25.00
Money raised by pupils of schools 2 and 8, to secure above,	25.00
Insurance on books burned in school 2,	14.76
Tuition, out of town pupils in school 1,	41.26
Interest on Town Deposit Fund,	296.12
Funds of Town necessary to balance,	1,676.70
Total,	$5,159.10

NOTE.— The discrepancies between the above account and the Town Treasurer's report are due to the fact that the school year closes July 15th, while the town year does not close until September.

Your Committee has consisted this year of Messrs. Lewis C. Spring Luzerne C. Holcombe, Elbert M. Cushman, R. B. Chatfield, Charles F. Newton, and William M. Maltbie. It organized by choosing Mr. Spring, Chairman, Mr. Maltbie, Secretary, and Dr. Chatfield, Town Text-book Agent. Rev. J. B. McLean has continued as Superintendent.

We have this year attempted little more than to maintain the schools in the condition in which they were last year. We are fully conscious of the defects in our school system as at present constituted, due principally to the difficulty in securing good teachers, the lack of ventilating facilities, the overcrowding of certain schools and the necessity, in most instances, of requiring the teacher to teach all the grades. The first of these we are trying to remedy by gradually increasing the wages of our teachers; we hope thereby to overcome, to some extent, the disadvantages we are under in attempting to secure good teachers because of the remoteness of many of our schools and the other defects mentioned, and to place ourselves in a position where we can fairly compete with adjoining towns; and we believe our course in this respect is being justified by its results. The lack of ventilating facilities and the overcrowding might be remedied by substantial changes in and additions to the buildings we now possess. These defects, however, can better be remedied and the impossibility of satisfactorily grading the pupils can only be remedied by gathering the pupils into a small number of larger and better buildings at central points. We do not therefore want to make the expenditures, which the changes necessary to put our present buildings in good condition would require, until we feel sure that the town will not adopt the policy of partial consolidation we have indicated above.

A comparison of the expense of maintaining the schools for last year and for this will, when the unusal expenses and receipts in last year's account are disregarded and allowance is made for the income of the Town Deposit Fund,

not separately stated in that account, be found to be almost exactly the same. The increase in teachers' wages is offset by the decrease in the expense of maintaining children at the Simsbury High School.

We desire again to call attention to the statute by which one pupil from this town may have free tuition at either the Danbury or Willimantic Normal Schools, with an allowance of $150 toward expenses, and we should like to know of anyone desiring to avail themselves of this opportunity. We also call attention to the statutes under which the town pays the tuition and at least a part of the traveling expenses of children attending the Simsbury High School.

The following statistics may be of interest:

School.	Teacher.	No. Children Enumerated.	No. Different Pupils Registered.	Average Attendance.
1	Miss Harriette E. Hayes (upper),	81	32	24.78
	Miss Annie E. Hayes (lower),	..	49	30.98
2	Miss Alma A. Gagnon,	32	34	22.17
3	Miss Mabel A. Messenger,	9	8	6.25
4	Miss Elsie J. Messenger,	39	28	20.41
5	Mrs. Clara E. Miller,	9	8	5.39
6	Miss Effie B. Howard,	18	14	10.17
8	Miss Ida A. Hayes,	24	19	13.86
9	Miss Irene B. Elmer,	16	14	11.58
10	Mrs. Mira G. Clark,	42	35	26.97
11	Miss Elva A. Vining (28 weeks),	20	15	13.48
	Miss Marguerite Hawkins (9 weeks),	..	..	....
Special	Miss Gladys Brower,	..	17	13.16

The total number of children enumerated was 290, an increase of 22; and the average attendance for the town, obtained by deducting from the total of the above figures time lost by tardiness, and also the attendance of out-of-town pupils, and by adding the average attendance of pupils at the Simsbury High School, was 199.75, an increase of 1.29. The disproportion between the increase in attendance and that in enumeration may be in part explained by a more careful enumeration and in part by absences due to illness. But we feel that parents should take a livelier interest in keeping up the attendance of their children, principally for the sake of the children, but also because the amount of money received from the state is largely dependent on our average attendance.

The following pupils completed the work of the ninth grade and were given certificates:

Evelyn Andrews,
Paul Avery,
David Carlson,
Ellen M. Colton,
Kennard Guy,
Harriette Kelley,
Katherine Kelley,
Charles Messenger,
Raymond Miller,
Gladwin Parmelee,
Philip Parmelee,
Mary V. Phelps,
Lyell Shero,
Walter Sterling,

Estella Williams.

Miss Ina Cushman graduated at the Simsbury High School.

The report of the Superintendent will be in the hands of the Moderator at the Town Meeting and after that, in those of the Secretary, and may be examined by anyone.

WILLIAM M. MALTBIE,
Secretary.

Annual Report

OF THE

TOWN HEALTH OFFICER.

To the Selectmen of the Town of Granby:

Granby, during the past year. has been very free from contagious diseases and has enjoyed good health generally. There have been two light cases of diphtheria in the town from both of which no new cases developed.

Respectfully submitted,
W. N. CLARK,
Town Health Officer.

September 16, 1911.

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SELECTMEN'S REPORT

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FROM

September 15, 1911, to September 14, 1912.

HIGHWAYS.

Wallace Humphrey,	$ 30.00
John Doherty,	3.60
R. L. Forsyth,	25.05
Alvin H. Case,	10.13
H. Jensen,	3.60
Charles Broughton,	23.00
P. M. and F. E. Reed,	27.84
W. P. Mather,	7.35
Leon Broughton,	7.00
John Rowe,	221.88
Albert Stevens,	1.00
Mike and John O'Donell,	3.00
Harry Day,	20.00
Chester M. Beman,	238.00
E. M. Griffin,	7.75
F. M. Case,	1,078.50
Ollie C. Godard,	100.00
H. J. Hayes,	10.00
Carl Bedin,	15.50
Clarence Parker,	160.00
Robert Holcomb,	33.10
E. E. Goddard,	56.82
Agustus Clark,	107.55
Joe Pilka,	1.50
A. M. Rogers,	21.00
Myrton Frazier,	33.00
J. W. Clark,	29.50
Louis Shier,	2.45

Charles Rowe,	$ 105.00
Frank Smith,	2.00
Eben Clark,	54.00
Floyd Reed,	23.00
Walter B. Holcomb,	13.15
Wesley Griffin,	2.00
Total,	$2,477.27

BRIDGES AND SLUICES.

W. M. Ketchin,	$ 800.00
Ollie C. Godard,	25.00
A. B. Wells,	22.50
Charles Ingman,	14.35
Clarence Parker,	2.00
A. B. Kelsey,	.50
F. B. Lockwood,	125.00
R. B. Holcomb,	7.75
J. L. Johnson,	4.00
Wallace Humphrey,	2.00
Harry Day,	22.00
Carl Redin,	2.10
Walter B. Holcomb,	.50
A. M. Rogers,	281.00
Eastern Bridge and Structural Co.,	1,690.00
John Nelson,	5.00
Howard Holcomb,	3.00
Wilbur Case,	4.00
John Rowe,	2.00
Albert Stevens,	3.00
Chester M. Beman,	9.50
Agustus Clark,	22.35
L. M. White, Jr.,	1.00
Wm. Streeter,	1.00
Total,	$3,049.55

TIMBER AND PLANK.

Charles Ingman,	$ 5.50
C. C. Fuller,	16.52
A. M. Rogers,	41.32
Wesley Griffin,	8.00
A. B. Wells,	5.50
Ollie C. Godard,	34.00
F. B. Lockwood,	179.55

L. H. Bennett,	$ 4.00
Burton W. Ruick,	1.00
Agustus Clark,	3.00
Total,	$298.39

BUSHES.

John Rowe,	$22.00
Wallace Humphrey,	24.00
Myrton Frazier,	4.00
Dolph Goddard,	1.75
Eben Clark,	4.00
Floyd Reed,	13.00
Burton W. Ruick,	4.00
Norman Winters,	7.00
Total,	$79.75

SNOW WORK.

John Rowe,	$ 3.00
Chester M. Beman,	5.00
W. A. Humphrey,	3.50
Carl Redin,	.60
Total,	$12.10

WATER TUBS.

F. A. Green, to July 1, 1912,	$12.00
Walter B. Holcomb, 1911, 1912,	6.00
Alfred Jasmine, 1911,	3.00
Geo. O. Beach, 1911,	3.00
G. Peck, 1911,	3.00
Leon Holcomb, 1911,	3.00
Frank Stultz, 1911,	3.00
Total,	$33.00

FIRES.

F. E. Rice, services as Fire Warden,	$ 5.00
J. M. Stocking, for May 11, 1911,	8.00
Total,	$13.00

STATE ROAD.

John Rowe,	$ 91.39
Wallace Humphrey,	33.00
Charles Broughton,	11.00

Loomis Bros. Co., tile,	$ 117.12
Ollie C. Godard,	12.50
J. W. Clark,	16.00
Charles Allshouse,	5.50
Leon Broughton,	5.00
Chester M. Beman,	107.25
N. E. Kendall,	2.00
Charles Rowe,	24.00
Clarence Parker,	51.00
F. M. Case,	353.50
Agustus Clark,	8.25
Frank Smith,	4.00
Eben Clark,	22.00
Total,	$863.51

HUNGARY ROAD AND BRIDGE.

Wallace Humphrey,	$49.00
Chester M. Beman,	58.75
John Rowe,	62.00
Charles Broughton,	37.00
F. M. Case,	225.00
J. W. Clark,	2.25
F. B. Lockwood,	18.00
Mrs. John Monahan,	9.00
Total,	$461.00

TOWN POOR.

Conn. Hospital for the Insane.		
Florence Phelps,	$104.58	
Benj. Dean,	104.58	
Joe Gunther,	89.72	
Rosie Gregory,	40.29—	$339.17
Hartford Hospital.		
Edward Sanderson,	31.71	
Alice Kent,	36.00	
Wm. Wilson,	18.86—	86.57
The Loomis Bros. Co.		
E. Pettibone,	25.50	
Alice Kent,	3.15—	28.65
Dr. W. R. Munson.		
Taking Wm. Wilson to hospital,		3.93
Estate of Dr. R. B. Chatfield.		
Services for E. Sanderson,	7.00	
" " Rosie Gregory,	2.00—	9.00

Byron Calhoun, care of Alice Kent,		$ 8.00
J. W. Ruic, opening grave for Alice Kent,		5.00
J. R. Hayes & Son, burial of Alice Kent,		18.00
Ollie C. Godard.		
Taking Alice Kent to hospital,	3.00	
Bringing Alice Kent from hospital,	3.00	
Paid Mrs. Day for care of Cora Dean,	1.00—	7.00
Total,		$505.32

INCIDENTALS.

Milo D. Wilcox, auditing town accounts,		$2.00
H. M. Hayes.		
Registering voters August 4,	$2.00	
" " " 11,	2.00	
Making list September 14,	2.00	
" voters September 23,	2.00	
Election October 2,	2.00	
R. J. Hayes, booth tender,	1.50	
Kenneth Avery, booth tender,	1.50	
Milo Griffin, constable,	1.50	
Marshall Griffin, boxtender,	1.50	
Stanley Edwards, moderator,	1.50—	17.50
A. B. Kelsey.		
With board and tax collector,	1.00	
" " " "	.75	
Making voters,	2.00—	3.75
J. L. Johnson, work on booths,		1.50
J. S. Johnson, hanging lantern,		1.00
Axel Munson, rebate on taxes, 1907,		3.66
Nathaniel Holcomb.		
Caucus, registration and advertising same,	1.25	
" " two days,	4.00	
Making voting lists September 14,	2.00	
" electors September 23,	2.00	
" check list September 30,	1.00	
Election day,	2.00	
Milo Wilson, booth tender,	1.50	
Wm. Shattuck, booth tender,	1.50	
Charles D. Clark, constable,	1.50—	16.75
D. C. Wilcox, renewal of old order No. 10 to Estelle T. Rice, interest at 4%,		300.00
D. C. Wilcox, interest on old order No. 10,		12.00
Augustus Clark, hanging two lanterns,		5.50
State Treasurer, support, maintenance and expense of Connecticut National Guard,		126.34

Chester M. Beman, assessor,		$ 25.00
Clapp & Treat, shovels,		9.50
W. N. Clark.		
Assessor,	25.00	
Stamps,	2.24	
Stationery,	.50	
Expenses to Hartford,	3.00	
Telephone,	.75	
Express on blanks and abstract,	.50	
Services as health officer,	10.00—	41.99
Stanley Edwards.		
Interest on town orders ($3,000.00) to January 1, 1912,		127.50
A. B. Wells, treasurer, interest on library orders Nos. 29, 60, 78, 94,		170.50
G. A. Smith, hanging lantern,		1.00
J. R. Hayes, amount borrowed at 5%,		2,000.00
Chester M. Beman.		
Making abstracts,	15.00	
Taking personal tax,	25.00—	40.00
Ralza Barnard, 46 loads gravel,		2.30
Dr. S. S. S. Campbell, returns for 4 births,		1.00
Emma L. Huggins, interest on order No. 34,		20.00
Anna E. Weed, interest on order No. 33,		20.00
Charles Allshouse, care and custody of Cora Dean,		2.50
G. F. Clark, assessor,		25.00
Mrs. John Monahan, hanging lantern,		.80
A. W. Carter, exchange between scrapers,		175.00
State Secretary, ballots for election October, 1911,		11.55
Cleaveland Legal Blank Office.		
1 doz. dog notices,	.30	
Printing names,	.25	
Postage,	.19	
1 book dog licenses,	1.00—	1.74
Loomis Bros Co.		
Advertising meetings in Herald, September 20,	4.00	
" " " October 20,	2.50	
" " " January 5,	1.00	
" " " Board of Relief January 19 and 26,	1.50—	9.00
Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co.		
Binding 1 Vol. Town Meetings,		3.00
John Rowe, putting together scraper,		1.00
J. R. Hayes & Son.		
Funeral expenses of Henry O. Wilcox, old soldier,		35.00

D. P. Rice, Board of Relief,		$ 15.00
Hiram W. Viets, Board of Relief,		15.00
W. N. Clark.		
Board of Relief,	2.50	
Quarantining and renovating F. J. Gregory's house,	3.00	
Investigating complaint of M. L. Floyd,	1.50	
" skin disease District No. 10,	2.50	
Phone,	.25	
Paid Dr. Munson,	6.00	
Postage,	.38—	16.13
Emery Record Preserving Co.		
Restoring and binding 2 Vols. of Town Records,		25.00
F. J. Guy, storage of scrapers,		6.00
Loomis Bros. Co., material for Town hall,		20.13
Mike and John O'Donell, cash,		1.00
F. F. Small, insurance on Town hall,		15.00
Dr. A. G. Weed, returns of births and deaths, from Feb. 11, 1910, to May 1, 1912,		3.25
Stanley W. Edwards, Memorial Day expenses,		20.00
Augustus Clark, moving scrapers,		2.00
L. H. Bennett, care of Town hall 5 times, and building fence around Town hall, and furnishing poles,		5.25
A. B. Wells, treasurer, amount borrowed of First National Bank, Hartford, and interest,		2,045.00
Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co. printing,		$13.50
Agustus Clark, opening grave for Henry O. Wilcox, old soldier,		3.00
John Rowe, opening grave for Henry O. Wilcox,		3.00
Chester M. Beman.		
Express on scraper blade,	.50	
Cartage by stage,	.15	
Telephone,	.60—	1.25
A. W. Carter.		
2 blades	16.00	
2 sets bolts,	1.00	
Spring,	.50—	17.50
T. M. Shaw, repairing town tools,		4.45
E. H. Shattuck, services as town clerk,		36.40
Walter B. Holcomb, services as selectman,		5.00
Loomis Bros. Co.,		
Tile,	175.08	
Town supplies,	58.32—	233.40
The Hartford Printing Co.		
50 Dem. caucas lists,	2.25	
50 Rep. "	5.75—	8.00

Henry G. Viets, part payment for collecting on bond of 1912,		$ 100.00
Ollie C. Goddard, amount loaned Oct. 21, 1911,		500.00
Erwin Beman, for crossing land,		15.00
A. B. Wells, services as town treasurer,		75.00
Oilie C. Godard.		
2 days, commissioners office,	6.00	
1 day, pension office,	3.00	
Difference in amount collected and amount paid for painting Town Hall,	5.41	
Salary,	100.00	
Telephone,	6.65	
Stamps,	5.00	
Interest on $500.00 loaned Oct. 21, 1911,	22.43	
Cash to town,	173.01—	321.50
Total,		$6,739.14

ABATEMENTS.

Adelbert Allen, error,	$2.00	
F. Babb, "	2.00	
J. H. Bill, "	2.00	
Mrs. Lena Godard, "	11.20	
Interest,	1.43	
Tim Holihan, dead,	2.00	
John Humphrey, error,	2.00	
Tom McKinney, "	2.00	
A. Kosmos, "	2.00	
H. Lupion, "	2.00	
I. Lupion, minor,	2.00	
Mrs. Ellen Messenger, pensioner,	.21	
Interest,	.03	
J. D. O'Meara, error,	2.00	
James Shannon, dead,	2.00	
Geo. Ulrich, double tax,	14.84	
Interest,	1.89	
Personal taxes, gone and unknown,	68.00—	119.60

TREASURER'S REPORT.

1911		Dr.	
Oct.	3.	To funds in treasury,	$1,071.43
	3.	" County Commissioners, forest fires,	75.06
	24.	" Cash from State for public roads,	356.40
	21.	" Ollie C. Godard, borrowed money,	500.00
Dec.	5.	" Borrowed money First National Bank,	2,000.00
	5.	" Average attendants school,	1,923.02
	5.	" Tuition high school,	217.12
	5.	" Transportation, high school,	55.75
1912			
Jan.	23.	" Cash from O. C. Godard, hall rent,	6.50
	23.	" For Alice Kent hospital bill,	14.00
	24.	" Cash from J. R. Hayes & Son,	2,000.00
Mar.	5.	" " state appropriation,	614.25
	21.	" Average attendants, school,	316.59
Apr.	20.	" Cash from state for corporation tax,	334.02
May	1.	" " for 29 fox bounties,	29.00
July	17.	" Check from Wm. Maltbie,	4.00
Aug.	29.	" Dog license fund due Granby,	123.15
Sept.	14.	" Cash Ollie C. Godard,	173.01
	14.	" " for hall rent,	5.50
	14.	" " for old plank,	5.00
	14.	" " from State controller for H. O. Wilcox, funeral expenses,	35.00
	14.	" Cash from H. O. Wilcox for part of funeral expense,	7.00
	14.	" Cash from H. G. Veits on bond of 1911,	2,775.03
	14.	" " " interest paid on same,	190.56
	14.	" " " on bond of 1912,	6,808.32
	14.	" " " interest on same,	6.61
		Total,	$20,202.32

1911		Cr.	
Dec.	12.	By Justice order to C. A. Pierce,	$5.85
	28.	" Officer fees to N. M. Wright,	7.90
	28.	" " " Chas. Allshouse,	6.50

1912			
Feb.	13.	" Wm. M. Maltbie, for costs in care of Wm. Myers,	$ 13.00
May	1.	" Cash for 29 fox bounties,	29.00
Aug.	17.	" C. A. Pierce, for Justice fees,	12.95
	29.	" Chas. Allshouse, officers fees,	10.60
Sept.	16.	" Old orders paid,	106.81
	16.	" New orders paid.	13,279.68
	16.	" Interest paid on same,	43.34
	16.	" Town school orders paid,	6,067.87
	16.	" Funds in treasury,	618.82
		Total,	$20,202.32

TREASURER OF DOG LICENSE FUND.

1191		Dr.	
Oct.	5.	To unexpected balance,	$30.20
1912			
May	27.	" Dog license fees from town clerk,	155.50
		Total,	$185.70
1912		Cr.	
Apr.	5.	By cash for 160 dog license tags,	8.00
May	27.	" " to state treasurer,	138.82
	27.	" Unexpected balance,	38.88
		Total,	$185.70

A. B. WELLS, Treasurer, in account with the FREDERICK H. COSSITT LIBRARY.

1911		Dr.	
Oct.	4.	To Cash balance brought forward,	$ 2.95
	4.	To Bank Book No. 225,999 Pratt St.,	100.00
	4.	Town Order No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900,	300.00
	4.	Town Order No. 94, Jan. 1, 1904,	500.00
	4.	Town Order No. 29, Oct. 1, 1904,	400.00
	4.	Town Order No. 78, Dec. 13, 1906,	2,500.00
1912			
Jan.	1.	To Interest on Order No. 60,	15.00
	1.	To Interest on Order No. 29,	18.00
	1.	To Interest on Order No. 94,	25.00
	1.	To Interest on Order No. 78,	112.50
		Total,	$3,973.45

1911		Cr.	
Sept.	20.	By Library, No. 150,	$ 30.00
Nov.	20.	By Library, No. 152,	25.08
	28.	By Library, No. 153,	40.50
Dec.	15.	By Library, No. 154,	50.41
1912			
Sept.	16.	By Bank Book No. 225,999, Pratt St.,	100.00
	16.	By Town Order, No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900,	300.00
	16.	By Town Order, No. 94, Jan. 1, 1904,	500.00
	16.	By Town Order No. 29, Oct. 1, 1904,	400.00
	16.	By Town Order No. 78, Dec. 13, 1906,	2,500.00
	16.	By Cash to balance,	27.46
		Total,	$3,973.45

EXPENSES OF FRED. H. COSSITT LIBRARY.

1911				
Nov.	17.	Order No. 152, Helen Shaw,		
		Library expenses,	$10.00	
		Magazines,	15.08—	25.08
Nov.	25.	Order No. 153, Mrs. Geo. O. Beach,		
		Paid A. H. Blackman for painting library,		40.50
Dec.	11.	Order No. 154, Geo. O. Beach,		
		Paid F. Blackman for work and lumber,	46.00	
		C. B. Holcomb,	4.41—	50.41
1912				
Jan.	5.	Order No. 155, Helen Shaw,		
		Librarian,	25.00	
		Janitor,	7.50	
		Wood,	5.00—	37.50
Feb.	10.	Order No. 156, A. B. Wells, Treasurer,		
		F. F. Small, insurance,		12.50
		Order No. 157, Helen Shaw,		
		Magazines and merchandise,		65.28
July	12.	Order No. 158, Helen Shaw,		
		Librarian,	25.00	
		Janitor,	7.50—	32.50
		Total,		$263.77

A. B. WELLS, Treasurer, in account with UNIVERSALIST FUND.

1912		Dr.	
Feb.	2.	To Funds received,	$200.00
1912		Cr.	
Sept.	16.	By Funds in Treasury,	200.00

ASSETS.

Balance due on Bond of 1911,	$ 249.31
" " " 1912,	2,859.79
Interest due on Bond of 1912,	107.88
Funds in Treasury,	618.82
Town Tools,	175.00
Tile on hand,	200.00
Plank,	20.00
Total,	$4,230.80

LIABILITIES.

Town deposit fund order,	$4,935.42
Old orders unpaid:	
Order No. 33, Feb. 2, 1897, Mrs. A. J. Weed,	500.00
" 34, Feb. 2, 1897, Emma L. Huggins,	500.00
" 60, Dec. 1, 1900, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, Treas.,	300.00
" 18, Oct. 15, 1901, H. J. Dewey,	300.00
" 36, Nov. 18, 1901, "	1,000.00
" 94, Jan. 1, 1904, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, Treas.,	500.00
" 29, Oct. 1, 1904, " " " "	400.00
" 125, Jan. 17, 1906, Granby Cemetery Association,	2,000.00
" 78, Dec. 13, 1906, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, Treas.	2,500.00
" 110, Jan. 1, 1908, Granby Cemetery Association,	1,000.00
" 10, Oct. 15, 1910, Estella T. Rice,	300.00
" 272, Sept. 14, 1912, O. C. Godard,	500.00
" 280, Sept. 14, 1912, O. C. Godard,	500.00
Total,	$15,235.42

AGENT TOWN DEPOSIT FUND.

1911			
		Dr.	
Sept.	16.	To Town Deposit Fund Order,	$4,935.42
		Cr.	
Sept.	16.	By Town Deposit Fund Order,	4,935.42

SUMMARY.

Highways,	$2,477.27
Bridges and Sluices,	3,049.55
Timber and Plank,	298.39
Bushes,	79.75
Snow Work,	12.10
Water Tubs,	33.00
State Road,	863.51
Fires,	13.00
Hungary Road and Bridge,	461.00
Town Poor,	505.32
Incidentals,	6,739.14
Abatements,	119.60
Total,	$14,651.63

OLLIE C. GODARD,
CHESTER M. BEMAN,
WALTER B. HOLCOMB, } *Selectmen.*

Report of the

TOWN SCHOOL COMMITTEE

For the Year Ending July 14, 1912.

School.	Teachers' Wages.	Fuel.	Repairs.	Incidentals	Total.
No. 1, ...	$807.00	$20.00	$14.91	$19.12	$861.03
" 2, ...	370.00	30.50	3.17	7.66	411.33
" 3, ...	154.00	....	.36	.18	154.54
" 4, ...	345.00	23.34	1.90	9.36	379.60
" 5, ...	259.00	8.25	.25	2.89	270.39
" 6, ...	333.00	19.50	....	7.45	359.95
" 8, ...	370.00	15.50	3.04	11.12	399.66
" 9, ...	370.00	16.75	1.94	10.98	399.67
" 10, ...	370.00	19.50	....	20.05	409.55
" 11, ...	333.00	15.00	10.17	5.75	363.92
Special, ...	407.00	23.34	5.22	.70	436.26
Total, ...	$4,118.00	$191.68	$40.96	$95.26	$4,445.90

EXPENDITURES.

Current expenses as above, ...	$4,445.90
Text books, maps, dictionaries, etc., ...	113.25
High School Tuition, ...	540.00
High School Transportation, ...	198.00
Expenses, Superintendent of Schools, ...	34.65
Salary, Town Text-book Agent, ...	25.00
Salary Secretary, Town School Committee, . . .	25.00
Transporting Children from No. 3 to No. 2, one term, . .	82.50
Enumerating Children, District 4, ...	1.80
Material, cartage, etc., new building in No. 4, . . .	47.14
Insurance, ...	22.50
Incidental general expenses, ...	17.42
Total, ...	$5,553.15

RECEIPTS.

High School Tuition Grant from State 1910–1911, . . .	$217.12
" Transportation Grant from State 1910–1011, .	55.75
Average Attendance " " 1910–1911, .	2,240.21
Enumeration " " 1911–1912, .	614.25
Interest on Town Deposit Fund, ...	296.12
Miscellaneous, ...	4.00
Funds of Town to Balance.	2,125.70
	$5,553.15

NOTE: The discrepancies between the above figures and those in the treasurer's report are accounted for by the fact that the School year ends July 14th, but the Town year does not end until September.

	Ch'n enum.	Pupils reg'd	Aver. atten.	Cost per pupil.	Total cost.	Amt. rec. fromStaet
1. Miss Mary A. Price (upper) 29 weeks 2 days, Miss Irene A. Flynn " 1 week, 3 days, Miss Antoinette E. Schuman (upper) 6 weeks, Miss Lena H. Case (lower) 27 weeks, Miss Antoinette E. Schuman (lower) 10 weeks,	83	65	46.36	$18.56	$861.03	$753.98
2. Miss Helen E. Holden,	28	32	21.60	19.04	411.33	327.17
3. Miss Flora S. Leventhal, 22 weeks,	10	6	20.4	116.20	154.54	47.45
4. Mrs. Elsie J. Beman, 8 weeks, Miss Mabel A. Messenger, 29 weeks, Miss Ruth S. Hawley (special)	36	38	28.67	28.45	815.86	431.64
5. Mrs. Clara E. Miller,	8	7	4.26	63.47	270.39	70.10
6. Miss Ina E. Cushman,	13	12	9.11	39.51	359.95	140.67
8. Miss Ida A. Hayes,	21	19	13.05	30.63	399.66	206.85
9. Miss Irene B. Elmer,	18	22	12.77	31.30	399.67	196.68
10. Mrs. Mira G. Clark,	34	26	21.11	19.40	409.55	334.68
11. Miss Gladys L. Rice,	22	15	12.88	28.25	363.92	207.02
Total,	273	242	171.87			

In addition to the above teachers, Miss Claribel Viets acted as assistant to Miss Case for five weeks.

Your committee consisted at the beginning of the year of Messrs. Lewis C. Spring, Elbert M. Cushman, R. B. Chatfield, Charles F. Newton, William Shattuck and William M. Maltbie. It organized by electing Mr. Spring, Chairman; Mr. Maltbie, Secretary; and Dr. Chatfield, Town Text-book Agent. Dr. Chatfield died October 23, 1911, and thereafter Mrs. Chatfield acted as Text- book Agent. Rev. John B. McLean continued as Superintendent.

The Committee caused the following minute as to the death of Dr. Chatfield to be entered upon its records: "Dr. Rollin B. Chatfield, a member of the Board of School Visitors of this Town from 1896 until it was succeeded by this Committee, and of this Committee since its institution, died on October 23, 1911. In all our associations with him, we have found him genial and companionable; in all our counselings wise; and in all our endeavors, ready and and eager to do his part and more. We feel that the Town has lost a good and useful citizen and this Committee a member whose place it will be difficult to fill. Now that he is gone, we have a deeper appreciation of his qualities and desire to place on record this brief but heartfelt tribute to his memory."

We have little to report in the way of progress during the year. We have again somewhat increased the salaries paid our teachers; but, while on the whole we have been fortunate in increasing teachers of fidelity and capacity, that result has been rather due to the desire of our local teachers to be near home than to the adequacy of the salaries we pay; we still do not offer enough to make our schools attractive to the better grade of teachers, or give us much range of choice. We have tried to close the school in No. 3, but we found that it was more expensive to secure transportation for the children than to keep the school open, and resumed its session at the beginning of the winter term. The schools in Nos. 1 and 2 are very badly in need of extensive repairs and the latter is badly overcrowded, but we have not as yet made any attempts to remedy these defects, although we know that something must soon be done. One advantage we have made however; through the gift to the Town by the First Universalist Society of Granby of its church at North Granby, we have been able to start the reconstruction of that building into a two-room school, in which will be united the regular school in No. 4 and the school in the Town Hall. The work of remodeling the building has been very carefully and thoroughly done, and it only needs a modern heating and ventilating system to make its rooms very satisfactory.

The difference between the amounts expended by the Town for school purposes last year and this, while partly accounted for by the increase in teachers' salaries before mentioned, and expenditures connected with the new building in No. 4, is largely due to the increase in the expense of sending children to the High School at Simsbury. Last year we paid for tuition and transportation $446.50, of which we received back from the State $272.87; this year we paid $738.00 of which we will receive back $459.00; but as we get this year only the State grants based on last year's expenditures, the increase in cost seems larger than it actually is. And it is also to be remembered that the average attendance grant is in part based upon the attendance at the High School, and that attendance will bring us about $125.00, which will

be paid during the next school year. In other words, the actual cost to the Town for the twelve pupils who attended the High School this year will be about $150.00, certainly not excessive in view of the advantages thereby gained.

The statistics before given speak for themselves. The cost per pupil was figured upon the basis of the average attendance; the amount received from the State on account of each district is figured upon the basis of the enumeration and average attendance grants. The average attendance given in the table should be increased by 11.37, the average attendance of the twelve pupils at the Simsbury High School, giving as the total average attendance for the Town 183.24. This is a decrease of 16.51 as compared with last year, and while this decrease is in part offset by a decrease of 17 in the enumeration, there is still too much time lost through absence and tardiness of pupils. We wish that parents would take a livelier interest in the attendance of their children, principally for the children's sake, but also because it has a direct effect upon the amount received from the State.

The following pupils graduated at the Simsbury High School:—

Laura E. Bunnell, Luella E. Clark,
Helen M. Clark, Helen A. Green,
Ruth B. Messenger.

The record of these pupils was exceedingly pleasing; Miss Bunnel was valedictorian and Miss Messenger salutatorian of the class; and four of the five had places on the graduation program.

The following pupils completed the work of the eighth grade and were given certificates:—

Anita Clark, Louise Griffin,
Alida Griffin, Ned Kendall,
Evelyn Griffin, Harold Messenger.

Miss Ruth B. Messenger has been recommended by us and has received a scholarship in the State Normal School at Willimantic, under the provisions of the Statute which allows one such scholarship to each town.

The report of the Superintendent will be in the hands of the Moderator of the Town Meeting and thereafter in those of the Secretary, and may be examined by any person interested.

WILLIAM M. MALTBIE,
Secretary.

September 10, 1912.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We, the undersigned, have examined and verified the above accounts, and believe them to be correct.

September 17, 1912.

MILO D. WILCOX,
JAMES LEE LOOMIS. } *Auditors.*

HEALTH OFFICER'S ANNUAL REPORT.

To the Selectmen, Town of Granby:—

Granby during the past year has been very free from contagious and infectious diseases and has enjoyed good health. There have been a few cases of measles, mumps and whooping cough. Not any cases of diphtheria or scarlet fever have been reported. The water supply is of the best, also the ice supply. A few minor cases of nuisance have been found and abated. The several schools have been inspected and most of them are in very satisfactory condition.

Respectfully submitted,

W. N. CLARK,

Town Health Officer.

September 20, 1912.

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SELECTMEN'S REPORT

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Highways.

C. M. Beman,	$300.90	
John Rowe,	254.51	
Burt Parker,	76.00	
Eben Clark,	223.00	
Maurice Beman,	1.00	
Charles Broughton,	130.00	
Chester Broughton,	4.00	
James Lees,	84.00	
Dolph Godard,	14.50	
Ole Simonson,	2.00	
E. M. Munsell,	2.00	
Carl Redin,	3.00	
Seth Messenger,	4.50	
Alfred Jasmine,	6.25	
F. B. Lockwood,	556.50	
Edward Shannon,	18.00	
Wilbur Case,	12.00	
Cicero Weed,	21.00	
Albert Stevens,	5.00	
Walter B. Holcombe,	3.00	
Ernest Adams,	20.00	
H. B. Fuller,	11.00—	$1,752.16

Bridges and Sluices.

E. M. Griffin,	$1.50	
Albert Stevens,	5.00	
L. L. Gilbert,	2.00	
H. B. Wilcox,	21.00	
Augustus Clark,	101.85	
James Sperry,	4.00	
Albert Gillett,	5.00	
R. B. Holcombe,	4.50	
A. B. Kelsey,	3.50	
Edward Shannon,	16.50	
Walter B. Holcomb,	7.50	
Louis Johnson,	2.00	
Alton H. Wilcox,	1.50	
L. H. White,	12.10	
John Albanes,	3.00	
G. B. Smith,	1.50	
H. B. Fuller,	4.00	
E. M. Munsell,	8.00	
C. M. Beman,	9.25	
A. J. Ketchen & Son, Hungary bridge,	8.37—	$222.07

Timber and Plank.

Charles Day,	$19.54	
F. B. Lockwood,	550.45	
A. M. Rogers, old,	34.94	
Frank Wright,	15.29	
H. J. Beman,	4.00	
L. H. Beman,	8.75—	$632.91

Bushes.

Cicero Weed,	$2.00	
C. C. Messenger,	8.00	
James Lees,	6.00	
Mahlon Case,	5.00	
E. C. Andrus, old	2.00—	$23.00

Snow.

Cicero Weed,	$1.00—	$1.00

North Granby Iron Bridges.

John Rowe,	$139.50	
Eben L. Clark,	105.00	
Floyd Reed,	19.00	
Bert Parker,	119.00	
C. Irving Broughton,	6.90	
Harry Day,	43.50	
F. B. Lockwood, cement,	18.00	
C. A. Brown, team work,	63.00	
Marcus Lindosen,	62.00	
Wm Streeter,	99.00	
John Qadakin,	35.00	
Dolph Godard,	69.00	
C. M. Beman,	142.50	
Albert Stevens,	10.75	
Gerrard White,	4.00	
W. H. McCorison,	200.00	
Ollie C. Godard,	25.00	
F. M. Case,	286.00	
Charles Broughton,	11.00	
F. J. Howard,	105.00	
Loomis Bros.,	289.00—	$1,852.15

State Trunk Line.

John Rowe, shoveling crushed stone and loam,		$31.51
Eben Clark, " " " " "		30.00
C. M. Beman, " " " " "		68.25
Floyd Reed,		17.00
W. C. Case, team work,		5.00
F. J. Howard,		
Drawing sand,	$28.63	
Crushed stone, B. Hill,	52.50—	81.13
F. B. Lockwood,		
1,248 feet at $28.00, Frazier's bridge,	34.94	
Teams hauling stone,	57.50	
Carting, scraping,	44.00	
Carting crushed stone,	48.00	
Carting loam, B. Hill,	22.00—	206.44
Carl Weed, 50 loads of loam,		5.00
James Lees, shoveling crushed stone,		16.00
H. B. Wilcox, work on K. bridge,		1.75
Augustus Clark, work on K. bridge,		3.49
		$465.57

State Road.

Ed. Shannon,		
Putting in light by D. P. Cooley,	$6.00	
Cleaning out catch basins,	1.25	
Filling in washouts,	18.00—	$25.25

Water Tubs.

F. A. Green, July 1, 1912, to Jan. 1, 1913,	$6.00	
T. G. Case, Jan. 1, 1913, to July, 1913,	6.00	
W. B. Holcombe, 1913,	3.00	
L. M. Holcombe, 1913,	3.00—	$18.00

Fires.

F. E. Rice, services as Fire Warden,	$43.90

Town Poor.

The Conn. Hospital for the Insane,		
Florence Phelps,	$104.29	
Rosie Gregory,	104.29	
Joseph Gunther,	104.29	
Bennie Dean,	91.15—	$404.02
St. Francis Hospital, services to John Henry,		34.31
Mrs. M. G. Hayes, board of Joseph Hack,		82.57
Dr. J. J. Irving,		
Services to Joseph Hack,	$4.00	
" Eugene Pettibone,	14.00—	18.00
W. F. O'Connor, prescription for Joseph Hack,		1.00
Allia Messenger, board of Joseph Hack,		6.00
C. Allshouse, taking Joseph Hack to Mr. Sanford's,		1.50
Mortin Sanford, board of Joseph Hack,		8.64
The Loomis Bros. Co.,—E. Pettibone, Joseph Hack,		28.18
L. M. Holcombe,—E. Pettibone,		2.50
		$586.72

Miscellaneous.

(OLD.)

E. M. Griffin,		
Blasting caps,	$1.25	
Dynamite,	7.65	
Collecting Personal Tax of 1911,	38.28—	$47.18
Milo D. Wilcox, auditing town account,		2.00

Ollie C. Godard,		
To Hartford with town report,	$2.50	
Making voter,	2.50	
Express on town report,	.40	
Two axes,	2.00—	$ 7.40
Jesse W. Ruic, return of burials,		6.00
F. B. Lockwood, Board of Relief,		15.00
Harold M. Hayes,		
Registering voters August 2d and 9th,	$4.00	
Making list September 19th,	2.00	
Making voters September 28th,	2.00	
Check list,	1.00	
Election day,	2.00	
R. J. Hayes, booth tender,	1.50	
M. C. Griffin, constable,	1.50	
M. H. Griffin, box tender,	1.50	
T. G. Case, moderator,	1.50—	17.00
Nathaniel Holcombe,		
Caucus registration, Aug. 2d and 9th,	4.00	
Making list September,	2.00	
Making voters September,	2.00	
Election day,	2.00	
Duane Wilcox, box tender,	1.50	
Alton H. Wilcox, constable,	1.50	
Wm. Shattuck, ticket booth,	1.50—	14.50
J. L. Loomis, auditing town account,		2.00
The Hartford Printing Co.,		
500 postal cards, Assessors,	$6.50	
500 tax lists,	4.15	
10 sheet abstract book,	2.70	
33 page Collector's book,	1.25	
250 Town Reports,	43.50	
1,000 Selectmen's orders,	9.00—	67.10
Clara B. Viets, making out tax book and 1 copy book,		10.30
The Bristol Press Publishing Co.,		
Advertising Registrars,	$1.50	
" Town meeting,	3.00	
" Election,	1.50	
" Board of Relief,	2.00	
" Registrars,	1.50—	9.50
State Treasurer, amount due from the Town of Granby on ⅛ of the Simsbury State road,		1,614.49
		$1,812.47

(NEW.)

State Treasurer, support, maintenance and expense of Connecticut National Guard,		$132.16
The Fairbanks Co., 1 diaphragm pump and hose,		31.20
D. C. Wilcox, interest on order No. 10,		12.00
Harold M. Hayes,		
Making check list,	$1.00	
" list October 14th,	2.00	
" voters " 18th,	2.00	
Hearing appeals October 25th,	1.00	
" " Nov. 1st,	1.00	
Election day expenses,		
Registrars, Nov. 5th,	2.00	
Wm. Messenger, constable,	1.50	
M. H. Griffin, box tender,	1.50	
R. J. Hayes, booth tender,	1.50	
Ed. Godard, instructor,	1.50—	15.00
The Bristol Press Publishing Co.,		
Advertising electors and electors' meeting,	$2.50	
" Board of Relief,	2.00—	4.50
The Bristol Press Publishing Co., Adv. Registrars,		1.50
James L. Loomis, auditing town accounts,		2.00
Tucker and Palmer, taking Cora Dean home,		8.00
Albert Messenger, 5 gallons bridge paint,		5.00
James Owens, damage done by wild deer,		6.00
Lyman H. Brown, damage done by wild deer,		78.05
The Taylor & Fenn Co., 1 grate and frame,		4.25
F. M. Parmelee, blacksmithing and jobbing,		3.10
James S. Johnson, making booths,		3.25
N. E. Kendall, appraising damage done by wild deer,		6.00
S. F. Holcombe, appraising damage done by wild deer,		6.00
The Eastern Bridge and Structural Co., two iron bridges,		1,210.00
Stanley Edwards, interest on town order ($3,000) to Jan.1, 1913,		150.00
W. N. Clark, Assessor,	$25.00	
100 stamps,	2.00	
Expenses to Hartford,	3.50	
Envelopes,	.50	
Paper and pads,	.20	
Express on blanks,	.25	
Express on abstract,	.25	
Making out abstract,	15.00	
Postage and stationery,	.75	
Board of Relief,	2.50—	49.95
Chas. Allshouse, care and custody of Cora Dean,		4.00

Dr. J. P. Carver, care and taking to Hfd. of Adolph Burgerstrom,		$20.00
John A. Thoren, town supplies,		2.50
T. M. Shaw, repairing town tools,		15.80
G. F. Clark, Assessor,	$25.00	
Assessing school districts Nos. 2 and 4,	5.00—	30.00
Ray W. Case, Treasurer of the West Granby Cemetery Association, money borrowed,		200.00
Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co.,		
Printing and binding blank books,	$3.50	
1 doz. dog posters,	1.90	
Binding 2 vols. land records,	9.00—	14.40
The Hartford Printing Co.,		
500 school orders, perforated and bound,	$6.50	
200 4-page school regulations,	7.50	
250 Town Reports,	43.50	
350 postal cards, assessors,	5.00	
600 tax lists,	5.40	
10 sheets abstract book,	2.70	
33 collectors book,	1.25—	71.85
F. E. Rice,		
1 pump,	$3.50	
Express on pump,	.50	
Board of Relief,	15.00	
Registrars,	1.00—	20.00
E. P. Rice, Board of Relief,		15.00
C. C. Moore, town supplies,		4.00
F. B. Case, balance on collecting school tax of District No. 2,		6.00
A. W. Carters,		
Couplings to road machine,	$2.25	
Two edges with bolts,	17.00—	19.25
Emma L. Huggins, interest on order No. 34,		20.00
Anna E. Weed, " " " 33,		20.00
N. Y. N. H. and H. R. R. Co., car demurrage,		1.00
Stanley Edwards, Memorial Day expenses,		20.00
The New England Metal Culvert Co., 14 pieces, metal tubing,		189.23
F. B. Lockwood, Board of Relief,		15.00
Ed. Shannon, Freight on tile,		4.57
Orrin H. Godard, damage horse,		50.00
W. N. Clark, services as Health Officer,		30.00
The Treasurer of Hartford County, for county tax imposed upon town,		204.07
A. J. Ketchin & Son,		
Dynamite,	$18.00	
Caps,	1.00	
Fuse,	1.00—	20.00

The C. B. Dolge Co., disinfectant to W. N. Clark, Board of Health,		$6.00
Hartford Courant Co., adv. town meeting,		1.52
H. G. Viets, part payment for collecting on bond 1913,		100.00
Walter B. Holcombe,		
Taking Cora Dean home,	$3.00	
Services as Selectmen,	10.00—	13.00
E. H. Shattuck, services as Town Clerk,		34.15
L. M. Holcombe,		
9 loads of dirt,	.90	
Town supplies,	2.20—	3.10
Carl Weed, 110 loads of loam,		11.00
Loomis Bros.,		
Cement,	4.10	
Tile,	33.50	
Dynamite, fuse and caps,	73.78	
Binding tax list, dog license cards and blanks, and indexing tax list,	8.35	
Town supplies,	37.81—	157.54
C. M Beman,		
Express on grate,	.50	
1 day with State Game Commissioners,	3.00	
" " appraisers,	3.00	
" to Hartford to borrow ($2,000.00) of the First National Bank,	2.50	
Assessor,	25.00	
Express on pump,	1.90	
To Town Clerk's office,	1.25	
Taking Willie Holcombe to Sanfords,	1.25	
1 day to Hartford to borrow ($2,000.00) of the First National Bank,	2.50	
Personal tax,	25.00	
1 day to Comptroller's office,	2.50	
Express on scraper blade,	.75	
" coupling,	.35	
3 days to Commissioner's office,	9.00	
Making out tax book,	10.00	
Oil,	.25	
Making out rate book, and assessing district Nos. 2 and 4,	7.00—	95.72
C. M. Beman,		
Salary,	100.00	
Envelopes and stamps,	3.71	
Telephone,	3.70—	107.41
F. B. Lockwood, Dr.		
Money loaned,	600.00—	600.00

F. B. Lockwood, Cr.		
By work with teams, ...	$600.00	
A. B. Wells, Treasurer Cossitt Library Fund, interest on orders 29, 78, 94 and 60, ...		$170.50
A. B. Wells, Treasurer, ...		75.00
		$952.91

Abatements.

1912.

Steve Czanski, error, ...	$25.26	
Geo. R. Case, soldier, ...	14.00	
Morgan Cooley estate, soldier, ...	7.70	
Geo. W. Dibble, "	9.80	
Leverett Emmons, "	14.00	
Andrew Kosmos, gone, ...	4.75	
F. G. Newton, soldier, ...	8.40	
Mrs. C. Messenger, pensioner, ...	.21	
Chas. Stevens, soldier, ...	14.00	
M. C. Silkey, error, ...	1.40	
Mrs. Hattie Peck, error, ...	.74	
Interest, ...	9.00—	$109.26

1911.

Harvey Cowles, ...	$2.00	
Elmer Hawley, error, ...	2.00	
James Lees, "	2.00	
Henry Tracey, "	2.00	
Mrs. Hattie Peck, error, ...	.74	
Albert Silkey, ...	6.20	
Interest, ...	.83—	$15.77

Treasurer's Report.

		Dr.	
1912.			
Oct.	7.	To funds in treasury,	$ 618.82
		" H. G. Viets for taxes not on list,	34.00
		" Tuition high schools, 1912,	360.00
		" Transportation for high school, 1912,	99.00
		" Average attendance, 1912,	1,724.32
		" Cash from clerk of Superior Court,	32.36
		" " Ollie C. Godard, hall rent,	2.50
	15.	" " Town of Windsor, pauper,	64.83
Nov.	19.	" Borrowed money First National Bank,	2,000.00
1913.			
Jan.	1.	" Clerk of Superior Court,	12.31
	4.	" Jacob Hoag, for Fourth Dist. School property,	130.00
	10.	" Borrowed money First National Bank,	2,000.00
Feb.	18.	" Cash from County Commissioners, $\frac{1}{4}$ amount of forest fire damage,	3.75
		" Borrowed money of Treasurer West Granby Cemetery Association,	200.00
March	3.	" Cash from State for public roads,	863.51
	4.	" " " common schools,	627.75
April	17.	" " taxes on corporation stock,	427.28
	28.	" " State for state paupers,	34.31
		" " " Treas., damage by wild deer,	102.05
July	15.	" " " forest fires, $\frac{1}{4}$ amount of damage,	10.97
		" Borrowed money First National Bank,	1,000.00
	28.	" County Commissioners, $\frac{1}{4}$ amt. forest fire damage,	7.24
Aug.	5.	" Received from H. G. Viets, tax not on list,	34.00
	9.	" Tuition, high school,	329.19
		" Transportation, high school,	90.00
Sept.	6.	" Received from Wm. M. Maltbie,	1.25
	13.	" Rent for use of Town Hall,	3.00
		" Received from C. Beeman for dynamite,	4.20
	18.	" Cash from H. G. Viets on bond of 1911,	122.03
		" Interest paid on same,	19.97
		" Cash from H. G. Viets on bond of 1912,	2,724.86
		" Interest paid on same,	207.87
		" One tax lien,	.75

Sept.	18.	To Cash from H. G. Viets on bond of 1913,	$7,164.14
		" Interest paid on same,	7.78
		" E. M. Griffin, taxes on bond of 1912,	78.00
		" " " " 1913,	572.00
	24.	" Dog fund, received from State,	137.88
		" Average attendance from State, 1913,	1,521.41
			$23,373.43

1913. Cr.

Jan.	31.	By Justice order fees to Chas. Allshouse,	$7.25
April	7.	" Cash for official ballots to State,	12.60
May	20.	" Paid First Nat. Bank, borrowed money, 1913,	4,000.00
		" Interest paid on same,	100.00
June	14.	" Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co., binding Vol. tax list,	2.00
July	16.	" 60 days dis. on note of $1,000 to First Nat. Bank,	9.17
Sept.	13.	" Cash to C. A. Pierce, for Justice fees,	7.00
	15.	" Office fees to C. Allshouse,	7.18
	16.	" 30 days dis. on note of $1,000 to First Nat. Bank,	4.59
	18.	" Old Town School orders paid,	18.00
		" New " "	6,753.77
		" Old Town orders paid,	72.95
		" New " "	10,493.31
	24.	" Cash balance,	1,885.61
			$23,373.43

A. B. WELLS, Treasurer, in account with

F. H. COSSITT LIBRARY FUNDS.

1912. Dr.

Oct.	7.	To Funds in Treasury,	$27.46
	7.	" Bank Book No. 225,999, Pratt St.,	100.00
	7.	" Town Order No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900,	300.00
	7.	" " " No. 94, Jan. 1, 1904,	500.00
	7.	" " " No. 29, Oct. 1, 1904,	400.00
	7.	" " " No. 78, Dec. 13, 1906,	2,500.00
	7.	" Interest on Order No. 29,	18.00
Dec.	26.	" " " " No. 60,	15.00
	26.	" " " " No. 78,	112.50
1913.			
Feb.	21.	" " " " No. 94,	25.00
			$3,997.96

1912		Cr.	
Oct.	21.	By Library Order No. 155,	$37.50
Dec.	26.	" " " No. 156,	12.50
	26.	" " " No. 157,	65.28
	26.	" " " No. 158,	32.50
	26.	" " " No. 159,	12.25
1913.			
Feb.	21.	By Library Order No. 160,	$37.50
Sept.	20.	" Bank Book No. 225,999, Pratt St.,	100.00
	20.	" Town Order No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900,	300.00
	20.	" " " No. 94, Jan. 1, 1904,	500.00
	20.	" " " No. 29, Oct. 1, 1904,	400.00
	20.	" " " No. 78, Dec. 13, 1906,	2,500.00
	20.	Cash Balance,	.43
			$3,997.96

Expenses of F. H. COSSITT LIBRARY.

1912.			
Nov.	25.	Order No. 159, E. H. Shattuck,	$12.25
1913.			
Jan.	6.	Order No. 160, Helen M. Shaw,	37.50
Feb.	14.	" No. 161, Helen M. Shaw,	25.80
July	10.	" No. 162, Helen M. Shaw,	37.50
	22.	" No. 163, Helen M. Shaw,	19.86
			$132.91

Order No. 78, Dec. 13, 1906, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, Treas.,	$2,500.00
" 110, Jan. 1, 1908, Granby Creamery Association,	1,000.00
" 10, Oct. 15, 1910, Estella T. Rice,	300.00
" 272, Sept. 14, 1912, O. C. Godard,	500.00
" 280, Sept. 14, 1912, O. C. Godard,	500.00
First National Bank, note,	1,000.00
Treasurer West Granby Cemetery Association,	200.00
New Town Orders unpaid,	1,166.58
	$17,602.00

Treasurer of Dog License Fund.

1912.		Dr.	
June	1.	To Dog license fees from Town Clerk,	$162.81
	1.	" Unexpended balance,	38.87
	6.	Received from Town Clerk for 155 tags,	7.75
			$209.43

1912.	Cr.	
May 31.	By Cash to State Treasurer,	$160.97
June 1.	" $\frac{1}{4}$ remainder of license fees,	40.71
7.	" Cash to H. O. Averill, 155 tags,	7.75
		$209.43

Agent Town Deposit Fund.

1912.	Dr.	
Sept. 26.	To Town Deposit Fund Order,	$4,935.42
	Cr.	
Sept. 26.	By Town Deposit Fund Order,	4,935.42

A. B. WELLS, Treasurer,

in account with UNIVERSALIST FUND.

1912.	Dr.	
Sept. 26.	To Funds received,	$200.00
1913.		
July 15.	To Interest drawn,	8.00
	Total,	$208.00
1913.	Cr.	
Sept. 26.	By Funds in Treasury,	$200.00
1913.		
July 27.	By Cash to John Rowe,	2.00
Aug. 2.	" " " Eben Clark,	2.00
Sept. 20.	" " balance,	4.00
20.	" Orders paid and cash,	$208.00

Assets.

Balance due on Bond of 1911,	$127.28
" " 1912,	134.93
" " 1913,	2,773.33
Interest due on same,	112.63
Balance in Treasury,	1,885.61
Town tools,	175.00
Tile on hand,	150.00
Plank,	25.00
	$5,383.78

Liabilities.

Town Deposit Fund Order,	$4,935.42

OLD ORDERS UNPAID:

Order No. 33, Feb. 2, 1897, Mrs. A. J. Weed,	$500.00
" No. 34, Feb. 2, 1897, Emma L. Huggins,	500.00
" No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, Treas.,	300.00
" No. 18, Oct. 15, 1901, H. J. Dewey,	300.00
" No. 36, Nov. 18, 1901, H. J. Dewey,	1,000.00
" No. 94, Jan. 1, 1904, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, Treas.,	500.00
" No. 29, Oct. 1, 1904, Cossitt Library, A. B. Wells, Treas.,	400.00
" No. 125, Jan. 17, 1906, Granby Creamery Association,	2,000.00

Summary.

Highway,	$1,752.16
Bridges, sluices,	222.07
Lumber and plank,	632.91
Bushes,	23.00
Snow,	1.00
Water tubs,	18.00
State road,	25.25
Fires,	43.90
North Granby iron bridges,	1,852.15
Town poor,	586.72
Incidentals,	5,912.13
Abatements,	125.03
State Trunk Line,	465.57
	$11,659.89

CHESTER M. BEMAN,
EDWARD SHANNON,
WALTER B. HOLCOMBE. } *Selectmen.*

REPORT

OF THE

Town School Committee

FOR THE

Year Ending July 14, 1913.

Expenditures.

School.	Teachers' Wages.	Fuel and Fires.	Repairs.	Incidentals	Total.
No. 1, ...	$851.00	$37.18	$39.15	$11.49	$938.82
" 2, ...	370.00	35.00	31.98	4.25	441.23
" 4, ...	777.00	34.00	....	2.65	813.65
" 5, ...	259.00	16.75	....	....	275.75
" 6, ...	370.00	20.00	56.53	5.30	451.83
" 8, ...	370.00	19.76	....	4.00	393.76
" 9, ...	370.00	12.50	.25	3.15	385.90
" 10, ...	370.00	23.38	102.50	4.67	500.55
" 11, ...	333.00	21.00	63.18	1.15	418.33
Total, ...	$4,070.00	$219.57	$293.59	$36.66	$4,619.82

Current expenses as above, ...	$4,619.82
Text books, maps, etc., ...	39.16
High school tuition, ...	495.00
High school transportation, ...	180.00
Salary, town text-book agent, ...	25.00
Salary Secretary of the Committee, ...	25.00
Transporting children, No. 3 to No. 2, ...	60.97
Tuition paid town of Canton, ...	11.80
Insurance, ...	55.28
Labor and materials, new building, No. 4, . . .	1,776.95
Incidental general expenses, ...	13.76
Total, ...	$7,302.74

Receipts.

High school tuition grant from State, 1911–1912,	$360.00
High school transportation " "	99.00
Average attendance " "	1,724.32
Enumeration, " 1912–1913	627.75
Interest Town Deposit Fund,	296.12
Sale of old school, No. 4,	130.00
Miscellaneous,	1.25
Funds of town to balance,	4,064.30
Total,	$7,302.74

NOTE.—The discrepancies between the above figures and those in the Town Treasurer's report, are due to the fact that the school year ends July 14th, but the town year does not end until September.

Statistics.

School.	TEACHER.	Ch'n enum.	Pupils reg'd.	Average attend.	Cost per pupil.	Total cost.	Amt. rec. from State
1	Mr. Elmer Holbeck (uppeer)	82	76	55.9	$16.79	$938.82	$709.40
	Miss Frances M. Purtill (lower)	....	....	....	....	....	....
2&3	Miss Blanche C. Fortin	37	30	20.15	21.90	441.23	272.46
4	Miss Marguerite Flaherty (up'r)	38	40	30.59	26.60	813.65	335.27
	Miss Gladys L. Rice (lower)	...	....		....	....	....
5	Miss Bertha J. Henry	10	9	5.5	50.14	275.75	74.15
6	Miss Ina E. Cushman	18	13	10.53	42.91	451.83	139.38
8	Miss Ida A. Hayes	16	18	11.87	33.17	393.76	147.46
9	Miss Irene B. Elmer	18	16	12.35	31.25	385.90	156.47
10	Mrs. Mira G. Clark	37	19	16.01	31.26	500.55	233.58
11	Miss Leona Bunnell	23	12	10.73	38.97	418.33	152.50
	Total,	279	233	173.7			

NOTE.—The above statistics largely speak for themselves. Schools 2 and 3 are combined because the pupils in No. 3 went to No. 2, except that one pupil attended the school at North Canton for a portion of the year; the expense of the transportation and tuition of these pupils is not included in figuring the cost of maintaining No. 2. The average attendance given should be increased by the average attendance of children at the Simsbury High School, 10.2, making a total of 183.9. The cost per pupil is found by dividing the current expenses of the school by the average attendance. The amount received from the State is based upon the average attendance and the enumeration grants.

Your committee has consisted this year of Messrs. Lewis C. Spring, Elbert M. Cushman, Alton H. Wilcox, William Shattuck, Charles F. Newton and William M. Maltbie. It organized by electing Mr. Spring, Chairman, and Mr. Maltbie, Secretary. Rev. John B. McLean continued as Superintendent and Mrs. R. R. Chatfield as Text-book Agent.

The most noteworthy advance this year has been the completion of work in remodeling the Universalist Church building for school purposes. Your committee feel that, while the cost has been considerably more than was anticipated, in the last two years amounting to $1,824.09, the building is now in a most satisfactory condition. At the last Town Meeting, the Committee was authorized to install a heating and ventilating plant, but so many practical difficulties have presented themselves that it has not been undertaken. The completion of this building resulted in the abandonment and sale of the old building of District No. 4, and the abandonment of the school maintained for some years in the Town Hall.

Considerable repairs have been, or are being, made to the other schools in Town, so that they will all be in good condition except No. 1. As to that school, the Superintendent reports that "the conditions at No. 1 should not longer be tolerated" and the State Board of Education is pressing the Committee very sharply to remedy them.

A comparison of this year's expenditures with those of last year discloses a decrease in the total amount paid for teachers wages; this is due, however, to the closing of No. 3. The average monthly salary paid increased from $37.80 to $40. With the ever increasing difficulty in securing teachers for a Town like ours, this amount will increase rather than decrease. But in this connection it may be well to call attention to a misunderstanding as to the necessity of teachers having State certificates; the Committee's rule is not absolute, but any teacher may be excused by vote of the Committee.

The closing of No. 3 was a distinct saving. One pupil, by courtesy of the Canton Town School Committee, attended the school at North Canton; and the others in the district attended at No. 2. The total cost of tuition and transportation was $72.77 as against the cost of maintaining the school last year, $237.04. This saving largely offset the cost of the repairs to other schools, and made the total expenditures, aside from the rebuilding of the school in No. 4, about the same as last year.

The largely increased cost to the Town is accounted for by this rebuilding, and also by the fact that we are now reaping the disadvantage of our decrease in average attendance last year. From a financial standpoint, as well as for the good of the scholars, the Committee must emphasize the duty of parents to see that their children regularly attend school.

This year the school debts left outstanding against the districts when the Town assumed management of the schools were finally paid by them, and the districts now are practically at an end.

The following extracts from the Superintendent's report are called to your particular attention: "The number of schools in the Town of Granby should be reduced. The maintaining of a school where the average attendance is four

to five is not good economy. All of the pupils of the Town could easily be brought to three school centers. Six teachers, with this arrangement, could do the work better than the present number, eleven." This would "lessen the number of grades taught by each teacher. It is hardly possible for a teacher to get the best results where she must divide the school sessions into ten or fifteen minute periods for recitations. This is necessary where from six to eight grades are taught by one teacher."

We desire to call attention to the fact that the Committee maintains at No. 4 a grade roughly corresponding to the first year at High school which is open to any pupil in Town who has completed the regular grades; and also to the fact that the Town is entitled by law to a free scholarship in one of the State Normal schools; this is not at present vacant, but it is well that parents should bear it in mind, and inform the Committee of any scholars likely to desire it.

The following pupils completed the grades and received certificates:

Ruth Andrews,	Merrill Clark,
Lizzie Baytate,	Mildred Colton,
Arthur Bergstrom,	Martha Cowles,
Herman Case,	Marie Devnew,
Howard Casson,	Carolyn Holcomb,
Marion Chatfield,	Signe Redin,
Laura Clark,	Claire Roberts,

Corinne Shattuck.

The report of the Superintendent will be in the hands of the Moderator at the Town Meeting and thereafter in those of the Secretary of the Committee, and may be examined by anyone.

WM. M. MALTBIE,
Secretary.

September 15, 1913.

Health Officer's Annual Report.

To the Selectmen, Town of Granby:—

During the year Granby has had many cases of measles of mild form. Only one case of diphtheria has been reported to me, a very mild form. One case of typhoid has been reported, the patient recovered. Whooping cough was very prevalent in all parts of the Town. Two deaths have been reported from tuberculosis. They were both transients. There has been some nuisance abated. The water and ice supply are of the best. The school buildings have been inspected and are found in much better condition than in 1912. The buildings in some parts of the Town have been put in first class condition.

Respectfully submitted,
W. N. CLARK,
Health Officer.

GRANBY, CONN., Sept. 1, 1913.

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SELECTMEN'S REPORT

OF THE

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September 15, 1913 to September 15, 1914.

Highway.

H. J. Beeman,	$3.00
Charles Allshouse,	15.00
Louis Bennett,	12.00
Con Messenger,	2.00
Chas. Broughton,	138.00
Chas. Messenger,	6.00
F. B. Lockwood,	55.00
Joe Pilki,	3.00
Bert Parker,	8.00
Peter Bradley,	6.00
Raymond J. Hayes,	5.00
H. A. Chittenden,	30.50
R. A. Parker,	12.50
Olie Simonson,	17.00
Alvin H. Case,	4.00
M. M. Hart,	9.50
Wm. Dewey,	11.25
Edgar Bunnell,	1,273.00
C. D. Griffin,	50.50
Walter Sterling,	16.00
Fred Howard,	20.00
M. M. Hart,	12.00
O. H. Godard,	5.00
C. A. Burleigh,	2.50
D. F. Newton,	6.00
C. W. Crouse,	8.00
Seth Messenger,	22.75

H. B. Wilcox,	$ 7.00
John Rowe,	39.13
Eben Clark,	142.75
Augustus Clark,	8.75
Chester M. Beeman,	266.25
Harry B. Fuller,	193.88
Edward Shannon,	34.00
	$2,445.26

Bridges and Sluices.

H. J. Beeman,	$2.00
A. H. Wilcox,	1.50
Lucius Allshouse,	4.00
Truman Allen,	2.00
S. W. Hayes,	2.00
John Rowe,	10.13
Eben Clark,	15.00
Augustus Clark,	36.15
Chester M. Beeman,	19.75
Harry B. Fuller,	1.00
Edward Shannon,	43.75
	$137.28

Timber and Plank.

F. B. Lockwood,	$50.52
F. B. Lockwood, Est.	112.81
E. P. Rice,	29.70
Con Messenger,	90.50
Arthur A. Clark,	216.96
George W. Loomis,	4.00
Chas. A. Stevens,	5.48
Chester M. Beeman,	2.00
Edward Shannon,	2.25
	$514.22

Bushes.

Bert Parker,	$6.00
Chas. Broughton,	6.00
W. W. Edgerton,	2.00
John Rowe,	43.88
Eben Clark,	33.00
Chester M. Beeman,	10.00
Edward Shannon,	1.00
	$101.88

Snow.

Louis Bennett,	$ .75
Chas. Messenger,	4.00
Bert Parker,	18.00
Gilbert Smith,	2.00
Wm. Yowruns,	3.30
James Hunt,	4.50
Arthur Luther,	1.60
Exaviea Angelot,	2.00
Seth Messenger,	5.40
C. D. Griffin,	10.00
Henry Filley,	3 00
Harold Cotton,	2.00
L. R. Griffin,	4.80
Olof Hedin,	7.30
Mat Long,	7.30
Joseph Cavanaugh,	2.70
C. W. Crouse,	1.00
Corey F. Wood,	8.50
H. S. Parmelee,	5.70
A. Lupion,	4.40
H. Ruick,	3.00
Leon Humphrey,	4.00
Berton Ruick,	3.00
August Shear,	1.60
Geo. Wood,	6.00
H. J. Hayes,	10.80
R. B. Holcombe,	7.60
W. D. Endrus,	9.60
James Johnson,	3.00
John Albanes,	3.00
Louis Johnson,	1.00
R. A. Messenger,	28.10
W. W. Edgerton,	11.20
Frank Schmidt,	2.80
K. B. Edgerton,	7.10
L. A. Godard,	3.20
Cicero Weed,	13.20
Alvin Case,	3.60
A. B. Wells,	4.00
Eben Clark,	2.00
Chester M. Beeman,	11.85
Edward Shannon,	32.40
Harry B. Fuller,	3.50
	$273.80

On Account West Granby Iron Bridge.

Edgar Bunnell,		$90.00
Seth Messenger,		6.00
Chester M. Beeman,		27.50
Harry B. Fuller,		12.50
		$136.00

State Trunk Line.

F. B. Lockwood,		
½ days work (2 teams),		$5.50
Bert Parker,		
4½ days rubble drain,		9.00
Chas. Broughton,		
4½ days rubble drain,		9.00
John Rowe,		
Digging rubble drain,		10.13
Eben Clark,		
Digging rubble drain,		13.75
Chester M. Beeman,		
½ day cutting ice on Bushy Hill Road,	$ 1.50	
Hanging lanterns,	1.00	
Digging rubble drain and filling in washout,	11.25—	13.75
Harry B. Fuller,		
Digging rubble drain,		5.00
		$66.13

State Road.

F. B. Griffin, Trustee,		
Nov. 28. 2 teams ½ day,	$ 6.50	
Dec. 5. 1 door lock,	.50—	$ 7.00
Chas. Broughton,		
Shoveling sand on North Granby road,	6.00	
9 days work,	18.00—	24.00
Walter Sterling,		
2 days shoveling sand,		4.00
Edgar Bunnell,		
Teams, carting sand,		228.50
Eben Clark,		
4 days shoveling sand,		8.00
Chester M. Beeman,		
Team, carting sand,		97.00
Harry B. Fuller,		
Shoveling sand and cleaning gutter,		42.50
Edward Shannon,		
Filling in washout on Simsbury road,		6.00
		$417.00

Water Tubs.

T. G. Case, July 1, 1913, to Jan. 1, 1914,		$ 6.00
" Jan. 1, 1914, to July 1, 1914,		6.00
Alfred Jasmine, 1913,		3.00
		$15.00

Fires.

F. E. Rice, Fire Warden,		$7.70

Town Poor.

The Conn. Hospital for the Insane,		
Florence Phelps,	$104.29	
Rosie Gregory,	104.29	
Joseph Gunther,	104.29	
Bennie Dean,	59.42—	$372.29
C. A. Brown, board of Joseph Hack,		102.00
Mrs. Etta Korn, " "		63.00
Dr. John E. Loveland,		
Examination of Benj. Dean,		3.00
Dr. J. T. Mitchell,		
Examination of Benj. Dean,		3.00
Dr. V. J. Irwin,		
Services to Joseph Hack,	4.00	
" Gene Pettibone,	7.00—	11.00
The Loomis Bros. Co.,		
Eugene Pettibone, supplies,	37.33	
Joseph Hack, "	14.39—	51.72
		$606.01

Miscellaneous.

H. G. Viets,		
Balance due on collecting tax bill of 1911,	$107.60	
Balance on collecting bond of 1912,	98.39	
Part payment on bond of 1914,	100.00—	$305.99
A. B. Wells, Treasurer,		
Renewal to the First National bank,	1,000.00	
Discount on $3,000.00 for 7 months at 5½%,	96.25	
" $1,000.00 " 6 " 5%,	25.00	
Treasurer,	75.00	
A. B. Wells, Treasurer, Cossitt Library Fund on Orders No. 29-60-94-78,	170.50—	1,366.75
State Treasurer,		
State tax,	908.38	
Military tax,	147.61	
Town's share of repairs on ¼ State Road,	60.34	
⅛ of town's share of North Granby State Road,	1,746.35	
Printing ballots for annual Town meeting,	11.85—	2,874.53

J. W. Ruick, return of burials,		$6.00
Everett, tuning piano at Town Hall,		4.00
Milo Wilcox, auditing town accounts,		2.00
D. C. Wilcox, interest on Order No. 10,		12.00
Nathaniel Holcombe,		
2 days caucus registration, Aug. 1 and 8,	$4.00	
Lists—"To be made," 1 day, Sept. 18,	2.00	
Making voters, Sept. 27,	2.00	
Election day,	2.00	
Making check list,	1.00	
Alton Wilcox, box tender, Oct. 6,	1.50	
Warren Wilcox, booth tender, Oct. 6,	1.50—	14.00
Ollie Godard,		
Interest on $1,000.00 to Oct. 21, 1913,	50.00	
Cash loaned to town, interest 5% from date,	500.00—	550.00
F. B. Case,		
Money borrowed at 5% for 6 months,	300.00 —	300.00
Harold Hayes,		
Registering voters Aug. 1,	2.00	
" " " 8,	2.00	
Making list Sept. 18,	2.00	
" voters Sept. 27,	2.00	
Election day expenses,		
H. M. Hayes,	2.00	
R. J. Hayes, booth tender,	1.50	
M. H. Griffin, box tender,	1.50	
K. W. Avery, constable,	1.50—	14.50
E. P. Rice, Board of Relief,		15.00
Louis Bennett,		
Care of Town Hall, 10 times,	5.00	
Sawing 2 cords wood,	1.50—	6.50
F. E. Rice, Board of Relief,		15.00
Emma L. Huggins,		
Interest on Order No. 34,	20.00—	20.00
Mrs. O. J. Weed,		
Interest on Order No. 33,		20.00
Bristol Press Publishing Co.,		
Advertising Board of Relief,	.75	
Registrars, Sept. 1,	1.50	
Town meeting, Sept.,	3.00	
" Dec.,	1.00	
Advertising Board of Relief, Jan. 23-30, Feb. 6-13-20,	1.75	
Tax Collector's notices, Feb. 6-13-20,	2.00	
Collectors notice, March 20-27, April 3,	1.50	
Registrars, July 20-27,	1.50	
April 28, by overpaid,	(.75)—	12.25

Hartford Printing Co.,			
50 enrollment cards,		$1.25	
Oct. 10.	To 400 post cards, (Assessor's notices),	5.75	
Aug. 29.	50 caucus lists, Republican,	5.50	
" " "	Democrat,	3.00	
	Postage,	.11	
Oct. 3.	250 Town reports,	45.75	
" 4.	700 tax lists,	7.90	
Dec. 6.	10 sheet abstract book,	2.95	
" 20.	33 page tax collector's book,	1.50—	$73.71
Dr. C. M. Wooster,			
Return of certificate, 1911-12-13,			1.75
J. R. Hayes & Son,			
Money loaned town at 5% interest,			500.00
Peter Bradley,			
Damage done by dogs on sheep,			6.00
Stanley W. Edwards,			
Interest on town order, $3,000.00, to Jan. 1, 1914, Granby Cemetery Association,		150.00	
Memorial Day expenses,		25.00—	175.00
F. M. Parmelee,			
Repairing town implements,			9.05
M. C. Hayes,			
Money loaned town at 5% interest,			500.00
James Johnson,			
Putting up booths,			.50
Ned E. Kendall,			
Premium on Town Treasurer bond,		10.50	
Commitment of B. H. Dean,		6.00	
Surety bond, American Surety Co., furnished for H. G. Viets, tax collector premium,		8.75—	25.25
A. W. Carter,			
No. 1 H. E. M.,		6.00	
2 n. m. edges,		16.00	
1 Champion road leveler,		35.00	
1 two-horse roller, No. 175, $101, 20%,		80.80—	137.80
Charles Stevens,			
Fencing up road and hanging lantern,			1.00
Fred Howard,			
5 bags of coal for roller,			1.50
W. N. Clark,			
Assessing 2 school districts,		5.00	
Services as assessor,		25.00	
Expenses to Hartford after blanks, etc.,		3.00	
Express, blanks,		.25	
" cards,		.25	
" abstract,		.25	
Expenses to Hartford, see Corbin,		3.00	
Stamps and stationery,		2.90	
Making abstract,		15.00—	54.65

T. M. Shaw,			
	Repairing town implements,		$ 2.20
Ensign-Bickford Co.,			
	Dynamite, caps and fuse,		26.93
E. H. Shattuck,			
	Services as Town Clerk,		34.30
W. N. Clark,			
June 20.	Fumigating after tuberculosis,	$2.50	
" "	Placarding typhoid,	1.50	
July 2.	Fumigating "	2.50	
Sept. 20-24.	Inspecting 10 school buildings,	15.00	
" "	Expenses to Savin Rock, Health meeting,	6.00	
Oct. 4.	School inspection,	2.50	
Dec.	Inspecting cesspool nuisance,	1.50	
"	Expenses to Hartford, D. A. Markham,	2.50	
"	Paid express on water container,	.25	
"	Getting Sample water,	1.50	
1914.			
Mar. 26.	Expenses to New Haven, Health meeting,	6.00	
May.	Health officer, 1 year to May 1, 1914, Making report, postage, telephone, etc.,	10.00	
" 2.	Teams, County Health officer,	5.00—	56.75
Brown, Thomson & Co.,			
	6 flags at $2.55 each,		15.30
Case, Lockwood & Brainard Co.,			
	Binding one volume tax list, full canvas, Oct. 14,	2.75	
	Feb. 10. 2 partial receipt books,	3.00	
	" 13. 1 personal tax book,	5.75	
	" " 12 regular tax books,	10.50	
	1 order book for Universalist cemetery,	5.50—	27.50
M. M. Hart,			
	Board of Esther Hendrickson, 2 weeks, at $3.00 per week,		6.00
Wheeling Corrugating Co..			
	Metal tubing,		103.20
Charles E. Beebe,			
	One personal property record, Volume 1,		14.00
Charles Allshouse,			
	Expenses to A. Dean's,	2.00	
	Going with team for Esther Hendrickson,	2.50—	4.50
H. J. Beeman,			
	2 cords of wood at Town Hall,		8.00
F. B. Lockwood,			
	Services as Board of Relief,		15.00
C. C. Moore,			
	Going to Simsbury with car for dynamite,		2.50

F. B. Lockwood Est.,		
Cement,	$13.87	
Town supplies,	7.35—	$21.22
E. M. Griffin,		
Collecting taxes of 1911 (balance),	.72	
Postage, stationery and advertising,	10.00	
Partpayment on collecting personal tax of 1914,	20.00	
Collecting of personal tax on bond of 1913–14,	73.15—	103.87
Loomis Brothers Co.,		
Cement,	23.40	
Dynamite, caps and fuse,	36.00	
Tile,	47.31	
Cash to Wm. Shattuck for indexing tax lists and land records,	8.60	
Cash for dog notice cards and blank for registering,	2.50	
Typewriting,	.50	
Town supplies,	27.75—	146.06
S. W. Hayes,		
Services as Assessor,		25.00
G. F. Clark,		
Services as Assessor,		25.00
D. P. Cooley,		
Abatement on taxes,		8.40
Mrs. Lizzie L. Holcombe,		
Renewal of old Order No. 36, with interest to date, June 1, 1914,		1,376.50
Mrs. Emma Clark,		
Renewal of old Order No. 18, with interest to date, June 1, 1914,		414.30
James Rutherford,		
137 loads of sand at 5c. a load,		6.85
Augustus Clark,		
Drawing railing poles,	3.00	
1 mole board,	2.25—	5.25
Edward Shannon,		
Meeting with Board of Selectmen,	6.00	
Drawing tile to Bushy Hill,	5.00	
Hanging lanterns,	.25	
Drawing tile from Granby depot,	4.50—	15.75
Harry Fuller,		
Meeting with Board of Selectmen,		7.50
Chester Beeman,		
Making voters,	2.50	
Hartford with town reports,	2.50	
Stationery and postage,	1.00	
Telephone,	8.85	
Salary,	100.00	

2 days to Commissioner's office,	$6.00	
To A. Dean's with Charles Allshouse,	1.25	
To Bushy Hill State Road with Mr. Masetti,	1.25	
½ day to P. Bradley's to settle damage on sheep,	1.00	
½ day to A. Clark's mill to settle damage on sheep,	1.00	
Taking personal tax,	25.00	
Meeting with Board of Selectmen,	7.50	
Making out tax book,	10.00	
Express on roller,	2.43	
Going after Esther Hendrickson,	1.25	
Esther Hendrickson's expenses to Pennsylvania,	7.94—	$179.47
Total,		$9,676.08

Abatements.

1911.

E. M. Bowen, exempt,	$2.00
Mike Graback, error,	2.00
Geo. Dibble, dead,	2.00
Tim Holihan, dead,	2.00
Steve Janeski, error,	2.00
Grant Spaulding, dead,	2.00
Personal taxes, gone and unknown,	108.00
	$120.00

Summary.

Highway,	$2,445.26	
Bridges and Sluices,	137.28	
Lumber and Plank,	514.22	
Bushes,	101.88	
Snow,	273.80	
On Account West Granby Iron Bridge,	136.00	
State Trunk Line,	66.13	
State Road,	417.00	
Water Tubs,	15.00	
Fires,	7.70	
Town Poor,	606.01	
Abatements,	120.00	
Miscellaneous,	$9,676.08	
Total New Town Orders Drawn,		$14.516.36
New Town Orders Paid (See Treasurer's Report),		11,471.06
New Town Orders Unpaid (See Statement of Liabilities)		3,045.30
		$14,516.36

Town School Orders Drawn (See Secretary's Report),	$7,231.52
Town School Orders Paid (See Treasurer's Report), .	7,129.17
Town School Orders Unpaid, ...	102.35
	$7,231.59

Assets.

Balance due on Bond of 1913, ...	$444.04
" " 1914, ...	3,019.77
Interest due on same, ...	112.66
Balance in Treasury, ...	545.59
Town tools, ...	300.00
Plank on hand, ...	100.00
Tile on hand, ...	70.00
	$4,592.06

Liabilities.

OLD ORDERS UNPAID:

Town Deposit Fund Order, ...		$4,935.42
Order No. 33, Feb. 2, 1897, Mrs. O. J. Weed, .	$500.00	
" 34, Feb. 2, 1897, Emma L. Huggins,	500.00	
" 60, Dec. 1, 1900, Cossitt Library, (A. B. Wells, Treasurer), . .	300.00	
" 94, Jan. 1, 1904, Cossitt Library, (A. B. Wells, Treasurer), . .	500.00	
" 29, Oct. 1, 1904, Cossitt Library, (A. B. Wells, Treasurer), . .	400.00	
" 125, Jan. 17, 1906, Granby Cemetery Association, ...	2,000.00	
" 78, Dec. 13, 1906, Cossitt Library, (A. B. Wells, Treasurer), . .	2,500.00	
" 110, Jan. 1, 1908, Granby Cemetery Association, ...	1,000.00	
" 33, Oct. 15, 1911, D. C. Wilcox, .	300.00	
" 272, Sept. 14, 1912, O. C. Godard, .	500.00	
" 280, " " " .	500.00	
Treasurer West Granby Cemetery Association, . . .	200.00—	9,200.00

NEW TOWN ORDERS UNPAID.

Order No. 57, Dec. 6, 1913, O. C. Godard, .	$500.00
" 59, Dec. 8, 1913, F. B. Case, . .	300.00
" 183, June 1, 1914, Lizzie L. Holcomb,	1,376.50
" 184, Emma A. Clark, .	414.30

Order No. 334,	Edgar Bunnell, .	$432.50	
" 219,	E. M. Griffin, .	20.00	
" 97,	E. L. Clark, .	2.00	$3,045.30
Two Notes, First National Bank, Hartford, .			3,500.00
Unpaid Town School Orders, . . .			102.35
			$20,783.07

September 15, 1914, the Interest Bearing debt of the town, including the Town Deposit Fund of $4,935.42, was $20,226.22

CHESTER M. BEEMAN,
EDWARD SHANNON, } *Selectmen.*
HARRY B. FULLER,

Treasurer's Report.

A. B. WELLS, Treasurer,

In Account with TOWN OF GRANBY.

Dr.

1913.			
Oct.	7.	To funds in Treasury, ...	$1,885.61
		" Cash E. M. Griffin on Bond 1912, . .	16.00
		" " " " 1913, . .	36.00
	19.	" Check from S. W. Edwards, W. E. Holcomb Est.	1.25
	15.	" First National Bank for borrowed money (7 months), ...	3,000.00
Nov.	11.	" First National Bank for borrowed money (6 months), ...	1,000.00
Dec.	5.	" Borrowed money of O. C. Godard, . .	500.00
	9.	" " " F. B. Case, . . .	300.00
	16.	" Cash from H. G. Viets, due on Bond of 1911, .	127.28
		" Balance of Interest due on same, . . .	21.56
1914.			
Jan.	1.	" Cash received from Wm. M. Maltbie, a rebate on a Town School Order in 1910, . . .	.79
	10.	" Cash from Clerk of Superior Court, . .	36.97
		" First National Bank for borrowed money 6 months (not dis.)	500.00
	16.	" Money borrowed of J. R. Hayes & Son, to be paid on call, ...	500.00
Feb.	13.	" Money borrowed of J. R. Hayes & Son, to be paid on call, ...	500.00
Mar.	4.	" State Treasurer, for Common Schools, . .	609.75
	23.	" Cash from Clerk of Superior Court, . .	26.16
Apr.	6.	" Cash from E. M. Griffin, taxes not on list, .	8.00
	16.	" Taxes on Corporation Stocks, . . .	459.47
May	18.	" Cash from J. Deming for Highway repairs, .	241.35
June	1.	" " " " " .	184.80
July	17.	" " Wm. M. Maltbie, . . .	49.64
	21.	" First National Bank, borrowed (4 mos.) money,	1,000.00
	31.	" Fine from G. Case, ...	4.00
Aug.	22.	" Fine from Orrin Case, ...	5.00

Sept. 12.	"	Voucher from Highway Commissioner,	$455.88
16.	"	Dog License Fund from State,	132.30
	"	Cash from E. M. Griffin, not on list,	4.00
	"	Cash from Granby Creamery Co., for graveling road to Creamery,	10.00
17.	"	Cash for Hall rent,	14.00
	"	Cash for Dynamite, by C. M. Beeman,	1.10
	"	Borrowed money of First National Bank for 3 months,	2,500.00
	"	Cash from H. G. Viets, balance due on Bond 1912,	134.93
	"	Cash from H. G. Viets, Interest due on same,	27.78
	"	" " on Bond of 1913,	2,329.29
	"	" " Interest paid on same,	178.29
	"	" " on Bond of 1914,	7,303.53
	"	" " Interest on same,	8.69
	"	" E. M. Griffin, balance due on Bond of 1912,	122.00
	"	" E. M. Griffin, on Bond of 1913,	22.00
	"	" " " 1914,	548.00
			$24,805.42

Cr.

1913.			
Oct. 11.		By witness fee to Mrs. Virginia Aubry,	.80
15.	"	Old Town School Order No. 128,	18.00
1914.			
Jan. 24.	"	Officer's fees to Chas. Allshouse,	30.56
Feb. 26.	"	Two witness fees to A. H. Case,	2.20
Mar. 30.	"	Officer's fees to Chas. Allshouse,	20.25
May 12.	"	Bank Note to First National Bank,	1,000.00
15.	"	" " "	3,000.00
June 16.	"	Interest paid on Town Orders Nos. 78 and 89,	18.80
26.	"	Officer's fees to Chas. Allshouse,	22.18
July 9.	"	Bank Note to First National Bank,	500.00
	"	Interest on same for 6 months at 5%,	12.50
20.	"	Court fees to Orrin Case,	2.00
	"	Officer's fees to T. W. Convey,	21.02
31.	"	Four months discount on Note of $1,000.00 at First National Bank,	16.67
Aug. 22.	"	Justice fees to Orrin Case,	8.20
	"	Officers fees to T. W. Convey,	19.84
Sept. 17.	"	Town School Orders paid,	7,129.17
	"	Old Town Orders paid,	966.58
	"	New " "	11,471.06
		Cash balance,	545.59
			$24,805.42

Treasurer of Dog License Fund.

1913.	DR.	
Oct. 7.	To ¼ remainder of license fees, ...	$40.71
1914.		
May 29.	To town clerk, to 160 dog license tags, . .	8.00
29.	" " for dog licenses, ...	146.93
		$195.64
1913.	CR.	
Dec. 17.	By Cash to dog warden for killing dog, . .	3.00
1914.		
May 25.	" " " " " . .	3.00
June 1.	By 160 dog license tags, J. O. Phelps, Jr., . .	8.00
1.	By Cash to state treas. for license fees, . . .	144.91
1.	By ¼ unexpended balance, ...	36.73
		$195.64

Agent Town Deposit Fund.

1913.	DR.	
Oct. 8.	To Town Deposit Fund Order, ...	$4,935.42
1914.	CR.	
Sept. 17.	By Town Deposit Fund Order, ...	4.935.42

A. B. WELLS, Treasurer,

In account with UNIVERSALIST FUND.

1914.	DR.	
Oct. 10.	To Universalist Fund, ...	$200.00
10.	Balance in Treasury, ...	4.00
		$204.00
1914.	CR.	
Aug. 12.	By Order No. 3, ...	4.00
Sept. 17.	By Universalist Fund, ...	200.00
		$204.00

Expenses of the Universalist Fund.

1914.		
Aug. 12.	Order No. 3, Clyde Curtiss, with man cleaning up Cemetery, ...	$4.00

A. B. WELLS, Treasurer, in account with

F. H. COSSITT LIBRARY FUNDS.

1913.		DR.	
Oct.	7.	To Funds in Treasury,	$ .43
	7.	" Bank Book No. 225,999, Pratt St.,	100.00
	7.	" Town Order No. 6, Dec. 1, 1900,	300.00
	7.	" " " 94, Jan. 1, 1904,	500.00
	7.	" " " 29, Oct. 1, 1904,	400.00
	7.	" " " 78, Dec. 13, 1906,	2,500.00
	7.	" Interest on " 29,	18.00
	7.	" 2 yrs. int. on book No. 225999,	8.00
1914.			
Jan.	15.	" Int. on Order No. 60,	15.00
	15.	" " " 78,	112.50
	15.	" " " 94,	25.00
			$3,978.93
1913.		CR.	
Oct.	17.	By Library Order No. 161,	25.80
1914.			
Jan.	15.	" " " 162,	37.50
	15.	" " " 163,	19.86
	15.	" " " 164,	17.78
	15.	" " " 165,	32.50
Apr.	1.	" " " 166,	22.05
Sept.	17.	" Bank Book No. 225999, Pratt St.,	100.00
	17.	" Town Order No. 60, Dec. 1, 1900,	300.00
	17.	" " " 94, Jan. 1, 1904,	500.00
	17.	" " " 29, Oct. 1, 1904,	400.00
	17.	" " " 78, Dec. 13, 1906,	2,500.00
		Cash balance,	23.44
			$3,978.93

Expenses of F. H. Cossitt Library.

1913.			
Dec.	3.	Order No. 164, Helen M. Shaw, magazines and wood,	$17.78
1914.			
Jan.	13.	" 165, " librarian and janitor,	32.50
Mar.	25.	" 166, " magazines,	22.05
July	24.	" 167, " librarian, janitor and expenses,	37.50
Aug.	12.	" 168, A. B. Wells, Treas., F. F. Small for insurance for 3 yrs. to Aug. 13, 1914,	45.00
			$154.83

The foregoing figures have been examined, verified and are respectfully submitted by

JAMES LEE LOOMIS, } *Auditors.*
MILO D. WILCOX, }

REPORT

OF THE

Town School Committee

FOR THE

Year Ending July 14, 1914.

Expenditures.

School.	Teachers' Wages.	Fuel and Fires.	Repairs.	Incidentals	Total.
No. 1, ...	$888.00	$35.00	$84.31	$28.84	$1,036.15
" 2, ...	407.00	33.00	1,095.41	9.36	1,544.77
" 4, ...	851.00	33.88	117.64	8.67	1,011.19
" 5, ...	259.00	19.50	3.50	.40	282.40
" 6, ...	333.00	20.00	....	2.66	355.66
" 8, ...	370.00	15.25	59.48	2.50	447.23
" 9, ...	370.00	13.00	17.60	7.82	408.42
" 10, ...	370.00	18.00	9.75	8.80	406.55
" 11, ...	333.00	18.00	....	.45	351.45
Total, ...	$4,181.00	$205.63	$1,387.69	$69.50	$5,843.82

Current expenses as above, ...	$5,843.82
High school tuition, ...	630.00
High school transportation, ...	252.00
Tuition paid town of Canton, ...	39.12
Transportation of children from No. 3 to No. 2, . . .	93.50
Text-books and other supplies used in instruction, . .	225.50
Book case for town books, ...	10.00
Insurance, ...	40.67
Books and maps bought for No. 10 under State Library Grant, .	20.83
Enumerating children, ...	5.15
Salary of Secretary, ...	25.00
Expenses of Secretary, ...	20.08
Expenses of Superintendent last year, ...	10.85
Salary of text-book agent, part of year, ...	15.00
Total, ...	$7,231.52

Receipts.

Average attendance grant, 1912-1913,	$1,521.41
High school tuition grant, " "	329.19
" " transportation grant, 1912-1913,	90.00
Enumeration grant, 1913-1914,	609.75
State library grant,	10.00
Subscription in No. 10 to secure same,	10.00
Interest on town deposit fund,	296.12
Tuition, East Granby children in No. 1,	28.64
Miscellaneous,	1.00
Funds of town to balance,	4,335.41
Total,	$7,231.52

Statistics.

School.	TEACHER.	Enum	Regn.	Average attend.	Cost per pupil.	Total cost.	Amt. rec. from State
1	Elmer Holbeck (upper)	79	74	56.57	$16.83	$951.84	$622.67
	Miss Grace M. Purtill (lower)	....	....	....	....	....	....
2&3	Miss Josephine T. St. Thomas	39	35	21.78	20.63	449.36	259.05
4	MissKather'eI.Gallagher(up'r)	34	47	34.91	25.59	893.55	351.07
	Miss Marion Bradshaw (lower)	...	....		....	....	....
5	Miss Alma O. Carlson	12	12	8.16	34.18	278.90	91.18
6	Miss Ruth E. Case	18	14	8.95	39.73	355.66	110.89
8	Miss Ida A. Hayes (28 wks.)	20	18	9.38	41.34	387.75	118.77
	Miss Edith M. Lyman (9 wks.)	....	....	....	....	....	....
9	Miss Edith Dewey	17	15	12.96	30.16	390.82	140.18
10	Mrs. Mira Goddard	32	18	15.43	25.72	396.80	193.36
11	Miss Leona Bunnell	20	14	11.11	31.63	351.45	112.38

NOTE.—In the above table, the column following that containing the names of teachers gives the enumeration made in September 1913 in the various districts, No. 2 and No. 3 being combined because the school in No. 3 was closed; the total is 271, eight less than last year. The next column gives the number of different scholars registered during the year. In the next column, the average attendance figures are carried out only to two decimals; carrying them out to four places, and adding the average attendance at the Simsbury High School, 11.2099, at the Hartford High School, 1.9720, and of two children at the North Canton School, 1.0027, we get a total average attendance of 193.4162, an increase of nearly ten over last year. In figuring the cost of maintaining the schools in this table, the expense of improvements and repairs has been disregarded, in order to have a fairer basis of comparison; the cost per pupil is determined by dividing the total cost by the average attendance. The amount received from the state is figured upon the basis of the enumeration and the average attendance grants.

Your Committee this year has consisted of the same members as last year, Messrs. Lewis C. Spring, Elbert M. Cushman, Alton H. Wilcox, Charles F. Newton, William Shattuck and William M. Maltbie. Mr. Spring was chosen chairman, and Mr. Maltbie, secretary. Mr. Frederic L. Tapley has served as superintendent, and has performed the duties of text-book agent for the greater portion of the year, without extra compensation.

In the course of the year, the school at No. 2 has been thoroughly repaired, at an expense of about $1,000. All the schools in town are now in good condition, except that at No 1, which continues badly in need of substantial changes. In the ensuing year, the Committee proposes to make a beginning of substituting heating and ventilating plants for the stoves now in use, in the hope of minimizing perhaps the greatest defect in our schools, absence of ventilating facilities.

A comparison of the expenses of this year with those of last, leaving out of account the extraordinary repairs made last year to No. 4 and this year, to No. 2, shows an increase of $610.32. This is largely due to an increase of $111 in the amount paid for teachers salaries, of $186.34 in the amount expended for text-books and other supplies used for the purpose of instruction, of $135 for High School tuition, and $72 for High School transportation. The average weekly salary paid to teachers this year was $10.85; ever since the town school committee has had charge of the schools, it has been gradually increasing the salaries of teachers, until they now compare not unfavorably with those paid by other towns similarly situated, and probably little, if any, further increase will be necessary for some time. The amount expended for text-books fluctuates from year to year, but we have this year spent considerably more than heretofore for other supplies used in instruction; this has been due, in part, to a desire on the part of the superintendent to introduce more standard methods of instruction, and, in part, to the fact that writing paper, pens, ink, etc., have been supplied to the pupils free of charge; this last innovation is, on the one hand, of great assistance to the teachers in the uniformity secured, and, on the other, merely means that the town now buys with its common funds what was formerly bought by the parents from their individual resources. The increase in the cost of attendance at high schools merely means that more children than ever before are seeking a higher education; the town pays the tuition of each child, $45, and $18 towards his transportation, but it receives back from the state, two-thirds of the tuition, and one-half the cost of transportation, and, in addition, counts the average attendance at high schools in figuring its average attendance grant; the actual cost to the town for each scholar this year has been $16.18, a small sum in view of the advantages gained.

While the increase in total current expenses over last year has been, as stated, $610,32, there has been an increase of $952.64 in the amount which the town has been obliged to pay from its own funds towards those expenses. This difference is due principally to a decrease in the amount of the average attendance grant received from the state. The law provides that the state shall allot to each town such an amount as will enable it to spend $25 for each child in attendance, provided the town has spent from its own funds an amount equivalent to a certain tax on its grand list, the

tax rate varying in accordance with the amount of the grand list of the town; that is to say, the amount of the average attendance grant is determined by multiplying the average attendance by twenty-five, and subtracting from the sum so obtained the amount of such tax. The grand list used is that fixed by the State Board of Equalization, and, for our town, this list has increased every year; in 1909 it was $633,171, in 1912, $908.377. Thus the amount to be subtracted above mentioned has steadily increased, and the average attendance grant as steadily decreased. Moreover, while, during these years, the town was in a class required by law to raise a tax of three mills for school purposes, the State Board has raised the list of 1913 to $1,012,793, and put the town in a class required to raise a three and one-half mill tax; thus there will be a further and very large decrease in the grant in the coming years. Two things should be here emphasized; first, that the town officials should be careful that our grand list be not unduly increased by the State Board of Equalization; and, secondly, that parents should do their part in keeping up our average attendance by seeing that their children are regular in attendance.

We have this year continued our policy of not opening school No. 3; during most of the year, there were only four children who would naturally attend that school; of these, two were permitted to attend the school at North Canton, the town paying their tuition there, and the other two went to school No. 2, the town paying something towards their transportation; the net result was a saving of about $140 to the town. We have caused school No. 10 to be organized as a "model school", under a law permitting one such to each town; here, under the superintendent's direction, the teachers of the other schools may come for observation and instruction in their duties; and the teacher herself, to compensate her for extra work necessitated thereby, receives a certain sum from the state, in addition to her regular salary. The Committee has also finally fixed the status of the extra grade taught at No. 4, voting that it should be open to all pupils of the town who have completed the regular grades, and be designed to fit them to enter, should they desire, the second year in high schools.

In the opinion of the superintendent, the work of instruction has improved during the year. He attributes this largely to the establishment of the "model school", to the more efficient work of the teachers due to observation there, attendance at teachers' meetings, and a sincere effort on their part at self-improvement by any available means, to the furnishing of uniform grades of writing paper and material to the pupils, and to the introduction of certain more modern text-books; but his own efficient and inspiring leadership has no doubt played its part. The following extracts from his report are called to your attention:

"The importance of regular attendance cannot be emphasized too much. Irregular attendance and tardiness which continue for a long period of time are the most harmful. It not only makes the work of the delinquents of little value, but it retards the progress of the whole school and tends to cultivate habits which seriously interfere with progress beyond school life. The cost of running our schools depends upon the membership rather than average attendance, so any falling off in attendance means a loss on the

money expended, and, in this town, means a decrease in the amount of money to be received from the state."

"The presence of visitors in our schools is always appreciated, and it is hoped that next year more parents and other citizens will visit the schools, and that visits will be made, not only on special occasions, but also during the time when the schools are engaged in their regular work. Perhaps more visits would be made by citizens if they realized the effect which their visits have on the schools. If every parent would spend a few minutes, at least once a year, in the school where his children are being taught, it would have a marked effect upon the amount and character of the work that their children would do."

"The superintendent will be at the North Granby school at four o'clock on the third Thursday of each month to meet any who wish to see him on business connected with the schools, and will remain there, if necessary, until five o'clock."

Miss Helen A. Baytatie was graduated at the Simsbury High School, and has received a state normal school scholarship, under the provisions of a law allotting one such scholarship to a pupil from such town upon recommendation of the school committee.

The following pupils completed the grades and received certificates of graduation:

Mary R. Andrews,
Pauline L. Barnard,
Mary Baytatie,
Joseph Beeman,
Storrs Brigham,
Raymond J. Clark,
Doris M. Cowles,
George M. Cushman,
Julia Daunor,
George L. Dewey,
Earl R. Gilbert,
Loren R. Goddard,
Oren B. Goddard,
Leon R. Hart,
James S. Holcomb,
Ruby Korn,
J. H. Gladwin McHugh,
Reuben L. Messenger,
Joseph Petersen,
Everett J. Rosier,
Alice Shattuck,
Sarah C. Stevenson,
Ebba Thoren.

The report of the superintendent is in the hands of the secretary, and may be consulted by anyone interested.

WM. M. MALTBIE, *Secretary.*

Sept. 20, 1914.

Health Officer's Annual Report.

To the Selectmen, Town of Granby:—

During the year Granby has had some cases of measles of mild form, some cases of whooping cough. Only one case of typhoid fever has been reported to me. The patient died, I could not find anything unsanitary about the place. I have had some nuisance reported and have had prompt attention. The school buildings have been inspected and find them in much better condition than last year. I wish to congratulate the Town School Committee on their work. The public water supply is of the best.

Respectfully submitted,

W. N. CLARK,

GRANBY, CONN., Sept. 1, 1914. *Health Officer.*